

NAGOYA ROCKED BY NEW ATTACK OF SUPERFORTS

Forceful Assault Made On Industrial City, Tokyo Admits

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p. m. until 2:30 p. m. (Japanese time).
Domel claimed "heavy ground-fire from our anti-aircraft factory artillery as well as body-crashing tactics of our intercepting fighters are believed to have accounted for many enemy aircraft either brought down or heavily damaged over all three prefectures."
The main target at Nagoya, Japan's third city, is the Mitsubishi aircraft works which have been extensively damaged in two previous attacks by the big American bombing planes.

Big Fires Kindled
Huge fires were kindled in Nagoya, a regular "tinder city", by the B-29's just last Monday and previously on December 13.

In Monday's raid, the B-29's scored many hits on the Kokudai plant of the Mitsubishi works, set fire to two adjoining buildings and probably put the Nagoya power plant out of commission.

The latest attack on Honshu came just about 24 hours after Washington announced that China-based Superforts bombed Mukden, Jap munitions center in Manchuria, with "good" results, although losing two planes in a fierce sky battle. Fifteen Jap planes were knocked out of the sky.

The Chungking radio said opening of a widespread American aerial offensive against the Japs was seen with launching of the Mukden assault 48 hours after devastating American strikes at enemy aircraft plants at Omura on the island of Kyushu and dock installations and engineering works at Shanghai and Nanking on the occupied China coast.

WAR WORKERS STRIKE WHEN DENIED CHAIRS

CHICAGO, Dec. 22—A grievance perhaps unique in strike annals was advanced today as cause of an unauthorized walkout of 56 first-shift production employees at the Chicago Dodge plant, where B-29 Superfort engines are produced.
Company spokesman said the men, employed in the cylinder head, cylinder barrel and propeller shaft departments, left their jobs in protest against an order banning chairs at their work machines. Twenty-seven other workers were laid off because of lack of parts.

MARKETS

CASH MARKET
Cash quotations made to farmers in Circleville:
Cream, Premium 47
Cream, Regular 44
Eggs 42

POULTRY
Heavy Springers 28
Leghorn Hens 25
Heavy Hens 23
Old Roosters 12
Wheat 1.00
No. 2 Yellow Corn 1.11
No. 2 White Corn 1.11
Soybeans 2.00

Provided By
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WHEAT
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CORN
May-110 1/2 110 1/2 110 1/2
July-110 1/2 110 1/2 110 1/2
Sept-109 1/2 109 1/2 109 1/2
OATS
May-58 1/2 58 1/2 58 1/2
July-58 1/2 58 1/2 58 1/2
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CLOSING LIVESTOCK MARKET
Provided By Farm Bureau
CHICAGO
RECEIPTS—Cattle: 190 lbs. and over, \$14.50 @ \$14.75.
LOCAL
RECEIPTS—Cattle: 200 to 400 lbs., \$14.25; 270 to 300 lbs., \$14.40; 330 to 370 lbs., \$14.45; 400 to 450 lbs., \$14.50; 460 to 500 lbs., \$14.55; 510 to 550 lbs., \$14.60; 560 to 600 lbs., \$14.65; 610 to 650 lbs., \$14.70; 660 to 700 lbs., \$14.75; 710 to 750 lbs., \$14.80; 760 to 800 lbs., \$14.85; 810 to 850 lbs., \$14.90; 860 to 900 lbs., \$14.95; 910 to 950 lbs., \$15.00; 960 to 1000 lbs., \$15.05.

DARBYVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Ankrom and son, of Columbus, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ankrom and family.

Darbyville—Cpl. Alfred Waites is spending his furlough with his children, Shirley and Loren, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Shade.

Darbyville—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Clark and son, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Renick and daughter, of Columbus, spent Sunday with Mrs. Lillian Holt.

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ALLIED LEADERS ON ITALIAN FRONT



LT. GEN. MARK W. CLARK, center, new commander of the Allied armies in Italy, is shown accompanied by high-ranking Allied officers as he looks things over on a visit to a forward sector of the Fifth Army front. This is an official British photo. (International Soundphoto)

Hun Push Jolts Nation As Top Leaders Move To Boost Production

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Henry Morgenthau, Jr., urgently appealed to the department's 3,000 employees for "whole" or "O," type of blood for immediate delivery to Paris to replenish the Red Cross blood bank.

4. President Roosevelt "froze" wartime civil service employees in temporary positions in order to give preference for permanent jobs to returning war veterans.

As the furious German assault continued, Krug expressed belief that on the basis of preliminary reports "it might be necessary to re-equip the First Army" in the Monschau sector.

Warning Underscored
Krug underscored his warning with the disclosure that revised munitions goals would probably be increased again, while 1945 aircraft schedules will be boosted from 75,610 to 78,227 planes.

Chief emphasis will be placed on the production of Army and Navy fighters and B-29 and B-32 Superfortresses. The numerical decrease under approximately 90,000 aircraft for 1944 represented the shift to large fighters and heavy bombers.

Eisenhower has sufficient supplies on hand to mount a counter-attack, Krug said, but reiterated that a sustained Allied offensive to knock Germany out of the war requires continued all-out critical war production.

SANTA GIVES AWAY FAGS AND CHEWING GUM

ARMONK, N. Y., Dec. 22—This little eastern town was back to a somewhat bewildered but normal state today after what an apparently honest-to-gosh Santa Claus appeared on the streets and handed out almost priceless cigarettes and chewing gum to passersby.

The "Santa" was unmasked as Ben Marx, 36, proprietor of the local drug store. Marx explained he was tired of trying to ration the scarce articles among his customers so he decided to have a few happy and carefree moments giving the stuff away.

The Germans planned long and carefully for their offensive. American-born Germans, and others educated in the states, were dressed in American uniforms and sent out in scouting parties in captured jeeps to pave the way for their armored advances.

At the northeast corner of the German flank near Monschau, American forces beat back a series of violent German attacks. The fury of American fighting was such they were able to recapture several small towns of strategic importance including Rherath.

SANTA IS HERE

And you can rest assured that our wishes are carried out. The old gentleman will remember you with all the good things from his store of happiness.

We trust your Christmas will be merry and your New Year will be one of real happiness.

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HUNS REPORTED ADVANCED TO CITY OF LIEGE

Fighting Also Said To Be Raging In Outskirts Of Luxembourg Capital

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weight of their war planes against the Germans.

A British radio broadcast at 9:00 o'clock today reported that the Germans were continuing to throw in heavy reserves into a 50-mile breach in the U. S. First Army front.

Before the news blackout was clamped down on the area front dispatches said the German pressure had increased on the U. S. Third Army front, to prevent Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton from sending help to the First Army.

Advance In Italy

In Italy British Eighth Army forces surged northwestward on a broad front and captured the key town of Bagnacavallo, ten miles northeast of Faenza. Canadian forces north of Faenza also beat down Nazi resistance to make important gains.

In the Philippines Gen. Douglas MacArthur announced that converging Yank forces in the bloody Ormoc corridor had linked up and had compressed the remnants of the Jap garrison in the western part of Leyte island.

Heavy Jap Losses
MacArthur's communique, announcing that 2,032 Japs were killed in a single day of fighting, said the enemy had made desperate, but futile efforts to break out of their constricting pocket and that their only sea escape route at Palompon was under constant vigilance from the air and sea.

The German DNE Agency announced today that a new Russian offensive had been launched in Western Latvia by 27 armor-supported divisions of infantry in the wake of a terrific 90-minute artillery barrage. The drive along a 22-mile front is believed to be aimed at driving the Nazis from the Baltic port of Libau.

Twin Soviet drives in Northeastern Hungary and Eastern Czechoslovakia engulfed 80 towns and villages in battles which cost the lives of almost 2,000 Germans and Hungarians and presented a growing menace to the German-held approaches to Vienna.

300 CONTAINER EMPLOYEES AT COMPANY PARTY

About 300 employees of the Container Corporation of America and their families were guests at the annual company party Thursday night in Memorial Hall.

At 6 p. m. a chicken dinner with all the trimmings was served. At 7:30 p. m. variety entertainment was presented by Ohio Production Inc.

From 9 to 12 p. m. Ray Creighton's orchestra provided music for round and square dancing.

Friday afternoon employees received turkeys at the plant. Bonuses also have been distributed.

Oliver Johnson was in charge of the dinner at the party. Table decorations were prepared by Bremer's and Hildeburn Martin decorated the hall.

BETWEEN earthquakes, tidal waves and B-29 Hirohito must be having a terrible time trying to concentrate on his poetry.

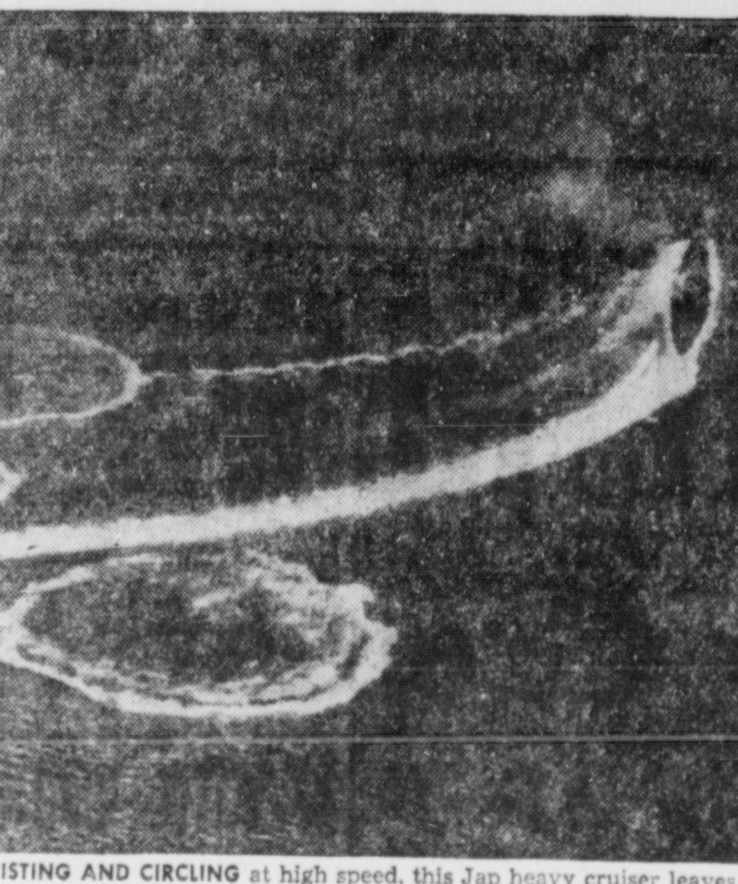
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JAP CRUISER DUCKS U. S. BOMBS



TWISTING AND CIRCLING at high speed, this Jap heavy cruiser leaves a turbulent wake, in this photo just released by the Navy, as she tries to avoid dive and torpedo bombers. The large circles at the left are near misses. The action took place during a recent carrier attack on Manila Bay. U. S. Navy photo. (International Soundphoto)

HEART ATTACK PROVES FATAL TO L. K. ATHEY

Lawrence Kenneth (Larry) Athey, 41, of East Mound street, died unexpectedly Friday at 1 a. m. at the Gibson hotel, Jackson, during an attack of angina pectoris. Mr. Athey, who seemed to be in his usual good health, was in Jackson on business for the H. J. Heinz Co., with which organization he was employed. He had suffered one previous attack, about 18 months ago.

Mr. Athey was associated with the F. W. Dodge Co. for several years at Marietta and Youngstown before going to Pittsburgh, Pa., 13 years ago when he became affiliated with the H. J. Heinz Co. After five years in that city, Mr. and Mrs. Athey removed to Circleville where they have since made their home with John D. Hummel, Mrs. Athey's father.

Mr. Athey was a member of Trinity Lutheran church and of the Lutheran Brotherhood.

He was born May 28, 1903, in Marietta and was the son of Leslie G. and Frances Crickbaum Athey. He was married to Miss Marye Ruth Hummel in Marietta June 26, 1926.

Surviving, in addition to Mrs. Athey, are one brother, Gerald B. Athey, of Milwaukee, Wis., and one sister, Mrs. Chester D. Cook, of Marietta.

Funeral services will be Sunday at 2 p. m. at Trinity Lutheran church with the Rev. George L. Troutman officiating. Burial, in the charge of the Mader funeral home, will be in Forest cemetery. Friends may call at the Hummel residence Saturday and Sunday until the hour of services.

Grandpappy Jenkins says that Germany has its "Voice," too—Himmeler.



Wite Preservers
Moving furniture around once in a while gives crushed pile a rest. It also uproots any insect pests which may be around the furniture legs.

CAR ON FIRE
Firemen were called at 5:25 p. m. Thursday to extinguish a fire in an automobile on East Main street. Minor damage was reported.

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CHURCH NOTICES

Williamsport Methodist
Rev. R. S. Meyer, pastor
Church school, 9:30 a. m.; G. P. Hunsicker, superintendent; worship, 10:30 a. m.

Williamsport Christian
Rev. W. E. Ewing, pastor
Sunday school, 10 a. m.; James Lealle, superintendent; services Sunday evening.

Williamsport Pilgrim
Rev. Herbert Taylor, pastor
Sunday school, 10 a. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Ashville Methodist Charge
Rev. Dwight Woodworth, pastor
Ashville. Church school, 9:30 a. m.; Stanley Beckett, superintendent; extended service (for children), 10:45 a. m.; worship service, 10:45 a. m.; Question Mark club, 7 p. m.

Hedges Chapel: Worship service, 9:30 a. m.; church school, 10:30 a. m.; Martin Cromley, superintendent.

Stoutsville Lutheran
Rev. H. B. Drum, pastor
Trinity Lutheran, Stoutsville: worship service, 9:15; Sunday school, 10:15.

St. Jacob's Lutheran, Tarlton: Sunday school, 9:30; worship service, 10:30.

Atlanta Methodist
V. C. Stump, pastor
9:45 a. m., unified service; 6:30 p. m. Epworth league.

Adelphi Methodist Parish
Rev. I. C. Wright, pastor
Adelphi: Combined Sunday school and worship service 9:30 a. m.; Christmas program by the Sunday school, 8 p. m., H. A. Strous, superintendent.

Hallsville: Worship service, 9:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:15 a. m., H. E. Dresbach, superintendent; Christmas program by the Sunday school, 7:30 p. m.

Haynes: Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., Joseph Ellick, superintendent.

Laurelville: Sunday school and Christmas program, 9:30 a. m., Thomas Hockman, superintendent; worship service 7 p. m.

Emmett's Chapel, Mt. Pleasant
Rev. Sam C. Elsea, pastor
Emmett's Chapel: Church school, 10 a. m.; Christmas service, 7:30 p. m.

Mt. Pleasant: Church school, 10 a. m.; Christmas service, 11 a. m. The public is invited to the Christmas services.

Kingston Methodist Charge
Rev. Leroy R. Wilkin, pastor
Kingston: Church school, 10 a. m.; divine worship, 11 a. m., special music; sermon, "The Wonderful Christmas Gift." Special Carol Service, 7:30 p. m. The public is invited.

Crouse Chapel: Divine worship, 9:45 a. m.; sermon, "The Wonderful Christmas Gift." Church school, 10:45 a. m.

Bethel: Church school, 9:30 a. m.; Christmas program, 7:30 p. m.

Salem: Church school, 9:45 a. m.

Derby Methodist Parish
Rev. S. N. Root, pastor
Derby: Worship service with sermon, 9:30 a. m., followed by church school, Brice Connell, superintendent.

Five Points: Church school, 9:30 a. m., Francis Furniss, superintendent; worship service and sermon, 10:35 a. m.

Hebron: Church school, 10 a. m., Cary Hinton, superintendent; worship service and sermon, 11:15 a. m.

Greenland: Church school, 9:30 a. m., Nostyn Garrett, superintendent.

Pherson: Church school, 10 a. m., Sherman Downs, superintendent.

Church Briefs

The Church of Christ in Christian Union will present a religious cantata, "Another Wise Man", Sunday at 7:30 p. m. at the church. Miss Ellen Clark is directing the cantata and Mrs. Richard Peters will serve as pianist.

The Sunday school of the Adelphi Methodist church will present its annual Christmas program Sunday at 7:30 p. m. at the church. The opening number will be "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear", by the choir; "Christmas Acrostics", presented by 18 members of the primary department; reading, "Toy Bells", Maribelle Bode;

St. Paul: Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; Christmas program, 10:45 a. m.; prayer meeting Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.

Pleasant View: Preaching service, 9:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:15; prayer meeting, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Stoutsville: Will Waits, of Columbus, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hedges.

Stoutsville: Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Moorehead spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith.

Pickaway U. B. Charge
Rev. F. E. Dunn, pastor
Pontius: Preaching, 9:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 10:30 a. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

Ringgold: Sunday school 9:30 a. m.; preaching, 10:45 a. m. Special Christmas program, Sunday 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

Morris: Sunday school 9:30 a. m.; prayer service to follow, Special Christmas program Sunday, 8 p. m. Prayer meeting, Thursday 7:30 p. m.

Dresbach: Sunday school 9:30 a. m.; prayer service following. Prayer meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m.

Stoutsville Evangelical
Rev. C. M. Moorhead, pastor
St. John: Junior church and

choir, "We Three Kings of Orient Are"; reading, "When Christ Was Born", Jane Harmon; "Santa Claus Surprise", group of girls and boys; pantomime, "Christmas Altar", choir girls; "White Christmas", dedicated to the boys in service, the choir; reading, "The Night Before Christmas", Donna Pritchard; Benediction, the Rev. I. C. Wright; distribution of gifts, YMCA; names called, O. B. and G. E. Armstrong; sponsor of program Wesleyan class; coach, Donna Beougher; community tree, provided by Men's class and decorated by Women's society.

tion of the national emergency of the permit of Raymond S. Ater to transport workers from Circleville, Kingston and Chillicothe to

the National Fireworks plant near Chillicothe.

BUY WAR BONDS



With the holiday spirit of joy and good cheer, once more we greet old friends and extend fondest wishes for the grandest merriest Christmas.

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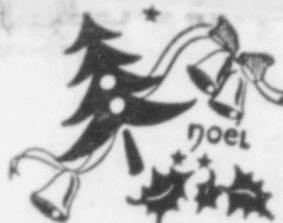
If every one of us conducts himself in the spirit of Him whose birthday this holiday symbolizes —there will soon be an end to strife and the spirit of brotherly love will again unite the peace loving people of the earth. Our Christmas hopes join yours!



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A Happy New Year

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OPEN LETTERS

TO MY PEOPLE

FRIENDS: Your Christmas tree and the decorations on it are fire hazards which you will want to watch most carefully this Christmas. Remember when you bring a tree into your house it is going to dry up. A fresh cut tree will not take fire any more easily during the first day or two than would the evergreen shrubs growing outside but it becomes a more serious fire hazard every hour. At the end of a week, it will be highly inflammable.

It is best to bring in a fresh tree as short a time before Christmas as possible, and remove it as soon afterwards as you can. If you do this, ordinary precautions should prevent it from taking fire. Families, clubs, churches and business men who want to keep their trees from a week or more before Christmas until after New Year's day need observe special safeguards to keep it reasonably safe.

The tree can be kept fresh if you set it up in a pan of water. Cut off the base of the tree at an angle at least 1 inch above the original cut and keep it standing in water during the entire period that the tree is in the house, adding water to the jar or tub in which the tree stands at intervals to keep the water level always above the cut. This method, when used with fresh trees, reduces the inflammability as effectively as any fireproofing chemicals. Chemicals may cause the tree to turn brown or yellow or to lose its needles.

The place you select for your tree should be well away from stoves, radiators, and other sources of heat. When you smoke, keep away from the tree.

The tree should be well secured against falling by inconspicuous wires holding it against the wall. The tree should be so placed that standing or fallen, it cannot block a doorway which might be needed to escape from the room.

CIRCUITEER

TO CITY COUNCIL

GENTLEMEN: Thanks for the Christmas present of a free quarter of sewer rental. You must be doing a good job of directing plant operation or you would not be financially able to make such a general public gift. Your act is highly appreciated.

CIRCUITEER

TO ANGLERS

MEN, WOMEN AND KIDS: Now, the Ohio Conservation commission is planning an annual \$1 fishing license fee for everyone. The idea leaves me cold, should do the same to you. Why should the

man and his family who picnic a few times a Summer and who wish to try their luck for pan fish be required to pay the same fees as the sportsman who spends all the time possible on stream or lake? The sportsman should pay a higher fee, the occasional angler seeking carp, catfish, sunfish and crappies should not be charged. And, incidentally, more expert attention should be turned on water in streams. Why dump hundreds of dollars worth of fish into a stream, the water of which will either kill them or drive them into other streams? Since the bulk of money pouring into the coffers of the Conservation Commission comes from fishermen it is likely that we need more fish-conscious commission members.

CIRCUITEER

TO WALTER LEIST

SOLDIER: Accept our congratulations on your appointment to West Point. That proved your worthiness is beyond question; otherwise you still would be a doughboy. Good luck to you in one of the toughest schools in the world.

CIRCUITEER

TO HONOR PUPILS

BOYS AND GIRLS: Some new names appeared in this quarter in the high school honor roll, but for the most part they were the ones that have appeared regularly in the past. Making the high school honor roll is not an indication of world-conquering ability, but does indicate outstanding possibilities in all of you. Congratulations.

CIRCUITEER

TO BRUCE STEVENSON

HYBRID CORN CHAMP: Congratulations on the remarkable showing you made in the 1944 National De Kalb Hybrid Contest. Selection as Pickaway county champion is an outstanding honor for we have many fine corn men hereabouts. Your record of 113.03 bushels to the acre is high enough to command the admiration of any farmer.

CIRCUITEER

TO CAMP AND HOSPITAL UNIT

FRIENDS: A fine bit of work you have done in providing 250 gift packages for the soldiers confined to the Lockbourne U. S. Army Air Base Hospital. These young men will fully appreciate your interest in them and the interest of the county folk who made the gifts possible. It is absolutely impossible to do too much for the young men in American uniform.

CIRCUITEER

TO MISTLETOE BALL SPONSORS

KIWANIANS: It was pleasant to learn that the Mistletoe Ball would be held again this year. Some folk are opposed to public entertainment in such serious war times as these, but if we wish to keep our mental equilibrium we absolutely must get our minds off war now and then. The Mistletoe Ball always has been a major local social event and I know it will be again this year. May success attend your venture.

CIRCUITEER

LAFF-A-DAY



"Aren't we lucky? We were afraid you might be out!"

DIET AND HEALTH

Sluggishness In Infant Intestines

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M.D.

CONSTIPATION is much more unusual in infants than in adults. It means something pretty radically wrong in most instances, Dr. Clendening will answer questions of general interest only, and then only through his column.

either with the infant's health or with the diet or both.

Adults feel and fuss so about their large intestines that it is hardly worth bothering to ask them whether they are constipated or not. It does not contribute to bad health, widespread opinion to the contrary notwithstanding.

Too Much Thinking

Adults who think at all about colonic habits think about them too much. They are always taking this or that kind of a cathartic, besides following about six kinds of advice from the neighbors about diet and massaging the abdomen.

And all the time they go dragging around with a long face, perfectly certain that their health is being undermined by intestinal toxemia, when in nine cases out of ten, if they would let their intestines alone, throw away their pills, and stop looking at the clock after breakfast, everything would adjust itself. They won't believe this and it's harder to get them to do it than it is to get a fellow to quit shaking his watch when it isn't keeping good time, but the principle is the same.

But infants are different. They have not learned any physiology yet, so their opinions are not reaching into their abdomens and upsetting things. The constipated infant is usually sick and needs stork. Anemia may cause it. Any chronic infection, in fact anything that lowers the tone of the intestinal musculature, may cause it.

Underfeeding is the commonest dietary fault in its causation, particularly underfeeding in the sense of not getting enough fluids, fruit juices or fats in the feedings.

Varied Causes

It is hard, however, to make rules, because the condition may be due to too much fat, too much protein or too much starch in the feeding mixtures. The first thing

to do in treatment is to be sure that there is no physical ailment present as a causative factor, and then, if that is cleared up, adjust the diet, and this takes a lot of patience.

As a single prescription, old-fashioned malt soup can be recommended. Dissolve 1 1/2 to 2 tablespoons of a malt soup extract in a half cup of hot water.

Mix a level tablespoonful of sifted wheat flour, free from lumps, in 1/2 cup of cold water and add to the malt. Add one pint of milk to the mixture in a clean saucepan and bring to a boiling point, stirring constantly. Simmer for twenty minutes. Strain before using.

When it comes to the age of childhood, say from six to twelve years, constipation is almost normal. The kid has to get to school on time, so right after breakfast to heck with everything else. After they get in the classroom some of them are shy about "being excused," especially the girls, which is the reason for the adage that woman is a constipated biped.

The Virtues of Molasses

On the side of diet, a child's selection naturally makes for a constipating diet. One article of food that is a good cathartic is molasses. That was one of the reasons the old sulphur and molasses mixture was considered a good spring tonic. Parents who won't let a boy have plenty of molasses on his cakes or biscuits are just the ones to insist on lots of molasses and sulphur for a spring tonic. It isn't very consistent.

All authorities are agreed that the correction of these conditions is best accomplished by diet and careful instruction in habits. Suppositories, enemas and laxatives create a vicious circle and simply create a situation where more and stronger of the same are constantly needed.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

C. K.:—I have an eye disease called astigmatism. Would Vitamin B tablets cure this?

Answer: Not any more than shovelling coal into the furnace will "cure" a dirty window pane on the second floor. Go to an oculist and get a well fitting pair of glasses.

BUY WAR BONDS

Roman Nose State Park, near Watonga, Okla., was named in honor of Chief Henry Roman Nose of the Cheyenne Indians.

ROMANTIC MASQUERADE

by MARIE BLIZZARD

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SYNOPSIS

Daphne Willoughby thrilled North Winthrop when she eloped at 17 with Carlo Abuzzi, a concert violinist. For eight years, until his death, she lived abroad. Letters from her to Kate Dennis and other friends back home were masterpieces of romantic imagination. After Carlo's death, Daphne worked for four years with Corinne Hollis, New York decorator. Then she returned to the old home town where she was welcomed as a glamorous personality. Daphne remodeled the house which her by a cousin and hired a part-time gardener called "Steve." A vivacious subterfuge, "Buff" Turner, and the latter's beau, Perry Dawson, are helping with the gardening. One day Corinne Hollis arrived with an auto-load of gay spirits from the Big City, including Alan Pembroke, architect and Daphne's ardent suitor. After the hilarious rout, Alan returned, interrupting a talk between Daphne and Steve. When the latter left, Alan lost no time. She protested his kiss but there was no annoyance in her voice. Two months later, the village celebrated the Fourth of July. After Kate's supper that evening, Alan danced with Daphne to the end of the terrace, lifts her over the rail, and carries her off to a tree-shaded bench where his proposal is punctuated by a thunder storm. He is joining the Navy Department at Washington and predicts, "You'll send for me." Next day, Daphne meets a little refugee boy at the Red Cross headquarters.

CHAPTER TWELVE

"What have you got?" she asked gently.

He brought the box to her, half-proudly, half-fearfully, and laid it on the desk.

In it there were a few pencil stubs, some empty spoons strung together, a shining agate, four marbles, and a broken toy airplane.

Daphne stared with unmoving eyes for some time upon the pitiful treasure. After a moment, her arm slipped about him.

"The ladies said I could have them. They let me play here. I help. I nail boxes. I'm strong." He tried to make a knot of muscle in his puny arm.

"Yes, you are," Daphne said, feeling it. She got a bottle of milk and some sandwiches and chocolate, and gave them to him; then asked, "What's your name?"

"Juan Romero. I'm almost seven years old. I'm going to school with the American boys next year."

Daphne remembered then: This

was the Spanish refugee whose mother had been a paid worker for the Red Cross before she was taken ill.

She asked him what his mother's name was, and where they lived. She wrote the information on a pad and put it in her purse, and then sent him home. Afterwards, she sat in thoughtful silence for some time. . . . There must be a way she could do something about it, some other way. She couldn't have the Romero mother and child in her life, yet . . .

Look at what she'd done about Mrs. Gates. She'd had more than one bad moment over that, knowing that inevitably she was going to ask Mrs. Gates to be her housekeeper. Then, fortunately, she'd talked to Mr. Holly, whose wife had had a shock, and now Mrs. Gates was about to be installed in the Holly home, and Roy Gates had already enlisted.

But the Romero pair . . . Well, she'd drop in at once and have a talk with Dr. McIntosh. Then Buff arrived. After supper in the cool dining-room at Daphne's house, Miss Turner opened up, and she was mad clear through.

Lying on her stomach in a position convenient to banging her fists on the floor, Buff explained, "It's that chicken-hearted, redheaded, Perry Dawson!"

"What's happened? I haven't seen him around since the paint job was finished."

"Neither have I—much. That's the point."

"Maybe that's just as well."

"See you!" exploded Buff.

"Whose side are you on?"

"That would depend. Could you be explicit?"

"Don't you know that I've gone overboard? Hook, line and sinker, lost my whole heart and got it kicked back in my face?"

"I was afraid of that."

"There's nothing to be afraid about," Buff said morosely. "He's keeping his tender self well in check. His compliments are along the line of 'what fun' I am, and 'what good friends we are', when I just know that he feels the same way about me that I do about him."

"You haven't been throwing yourself at him?"

"Certainly I have! He's worth it, Daph. Should I let a prize get away from me? He's really a person who'll amount to something some day. But now he gives me a lot of talk about the difference in our social positions."

"I see what he means, my dear. It'll be years before he can even think of supporting a wife. Meanwhile the Army or the Navy will

claim him. Anyway, you're too young to think of marriage."

"Am I?" Buff demanded fiercely. "Does it matter whether you're sixteen or sixty when you find the right man? Besides, these are days when you don't know how much of tomorrow you're going to have. You have to live when you're young."

"I thought that once," Daphne murmured.

"Besides, Perry knows as much about what his future is going to be as any boy can. He was in the Army for a year, and then they sent him home to continue his work at Gresham Institute. You don't know all about that, do you? He's working on a scientific experiment. That was just a fortnight's leave when he was working for you."

"I didn't know that. I just remembered that he said Steve told him I wanted a painter."

"Steve!" Buff sat up on her heels. Sparks flashed from her blue eyes. "That's who it is! I'll bet you'll listen, Daph, last night Perry gave me a long song-and-dance about men of science who wrecked their careers when they married women who made so many demands on them. They couldn't follow their ambitions. Where did he get all that information?"

"Out of books. How could Steve have anything to do with it?"

"They're great friends, aren't they? And Steve hasn't any use for women."

"You're dreaming that up, Buff!"

"Am I?" Buff fixed her gaze on Daphne, and asked "Does Steve strike you as the McCoy?"

Daphne said she didn't know what Buff meant.

"Does he strike you as the hired mump?" Or—just who is he?"

"Well . . ."

"Exactly! He couldn't know anything about his private life! What he does with the rest of his time? He's close-mouthed, isn't he? He's refused to go to the village on errands for you, hasn't he?"

"Only once," Daphne admitted uncomfortably, remembering how he'd refused her check.

"There's something else," Buff went on, warming to her subject. "Have you ever noticed suspicious things about him, like his well-made boots, or the cut of his clothes? His work clothes even?"

"Yes."

"Well, you know there's a lot of war work in these parts, secret experiments at the laboratory. Does that mean anything to you?"

(To be continued)

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Looking Back in Pickaway County

FIVE YEARS AGO

Winter swept into northern Ohio on the heels of a howling wind and snowstorm that threatened to move southward before the day was ended.

The presentation of the Christmas cantata, "The King of Peace," by John Emerson, was the highlight of the December meeting of Salt Creek P.T.A. more than 300 members and visitors gathered for the affair.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McDuffie and daughter, Marietta, of Buffalo, N. Y., were to spend the Christmas holidays with Mrs. McDuffie's mother, Mrs. Nelle Phillips, of North Scioto street.

10 YEARS AGO Mrs. Lemuel B. James, 127 West Mount street, suffered painful and serious injuries when she fell six steps from the upper floor of her home to the first landing.

Seventy-nine employees of The Citizens Telephone Co. and The Buckeye Lake Home Telephone Co. of Baltimore enjoyed a Christmas party and banquet at the Pickaway Country club.

Gilbert Wiseman, of Lancaster, was employed by the New Holland board of education to succeed Earle F. Claibourne, resigned.

25 YEARS AGO Miss Louise Renick, pupil of

Miss Emma Mader, was to be presented in a piano recital at St. Philip's parish house January 5.

Miss Edith Haswell returned

from Boston, Mass., where she went with her sister, Mrs. Harry E. Lutz, to meet her nephew, Ralph H. Lutz, on his arrival from overseas.



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WASHINGTON Report

Rumors of Inauguration Difficult to Pin Down

White House Is Evasive As to Program Details

By HELEN ESSARY
Central Press Columnist

WASHINGTON—Having heard in a round about way that there would be a little program of sorts at 1600 Pennsylvania avenue some time in January to officially usher in the Fourth Term I called National 1414 to check up on the rumor.

"There is going to be an inauguration, isn't there?" I asked a charming telephone voice. "I mean, there was a lot of talk about who was going to be inaugurated. But since we got the votes counted, the thing has died down."

But it will
Take Place
January 20

"President and Mrs. Roosevelt will be inaugurated on Jan. 20," said the still charming voice, as calmly as if inaugurations of President—and Mrs. Roosevelt—were of such frequent occurrences as to be classed with hardy perennials. Nobody really paid much attention to them. Not any more.

Next I called that compendium of knowledge, Colonel Eddie Halsey, secretary of the U. S. Senate, who is on all worth while committees in our national capital. Then I got Speaker Rayburn, that wise and doughty Texan of the House of Representatives, on the phone. Mr. Sam, I imagine, will have a relatively easy time running his show this year with a comfortable majority of Democrats in the next House.

Bit by bit I pieced together the arrangements to date for the inauguration of President Roosevelt. The performance will be run entirely by the White House. This is somewhat in the tradition of the past 12 years. Five thousand tickets will be issued—by the White House.

Where will the oath of office be administered? Not in the Capitol as heretofore. But—in the White House. On the east portico to be exact.

The president will have with him his family. Certain members of the supreme court. Maybe. The inaugural committee. Maybe.

The new vice president. Maybe. The retiring vice president. Maybe. You gather from the "maybes" that all inaugural plans are not yet finished. Such is the case. Where Vice President-Elect Truman will take the oath of office is still a matter of discussion. Perhaps, this ceremony will be arranged in the Senate chamber. Perhaps he, too, will be sworn into the second most important position in the government—in the White House.

The five thousand inaugural ticket holders will not have seats to view the inaugural. There will be no stands erected in the White House grounds. The onlookers will use their own two feet to keep place for the ceremony.

On that day it is likely to rain or snow or sleet. Blizzards are common to this climate late in January. But you can brush off the rain, snow or sleet more easily standing than sitting. You don't have a lap to catch the hunks of weather if you can't sit down. (Physiological note.)

After the inauguration there will be a luncheon at the White House. To this event every one of the 5,000 ticket holders will hope to be invited. I can understand this wish. I had the most fun I ever had in Washington at the post-inaugural White House luncheon the first time Jan. Roosevelt was sworn in as chief executive.

All this Jan. 20 simplicity is a little discouraging to your Cousin Minnie and your Uncle Tom's child. They would love to come to stay with you for the inauguration. But it's not discouraging to me—providing I get one of the 5,000 tickets for the show.

If this mid-winter inauguration of a president actually is hushed and unpretentious, it will be in contrast to the inauguration of the Civil War president, Abraham Lincoln.

On the evening of March 4, Mr. Lincoln held an inaugural public reception, or "levee," as such things were called in the younger days of the nation. Two thousand people jammed in the White House neighborhood stampeded through the open gates. Even the Marine band's lusty patriotic notes did not kill the angry shouts of the struggling guests. Women shrieked and fainted as their clothes were torn in the rush to get to the East Room. One of the crimson draperies in this lovely apartment lost a big square of brocade to a souvenir hunter. Lace curtains were hacked with holes as flowers were snipped out.

"The White House looked when the guests went home," so William Crook, bodyguard, wrote, "as if a regiment of rebel troops had been quartered there with permission to forage."

When the bells ring joyful,
this Christmas filling our
hearts with the prevailing good
spirit and friendliness of the
Yuletide Season, let us fervently pray that these same
bells will soon ring out the
glad tidings that TOTAL VICTORY is ours.

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Ashville Garden Club Holds Christmas Party

Whitehead Home Is Scene of Assembly

Ashville Garden club enjoyed a delightful Christmas party Thursday at the home of Mrs. William Whitehead, of Ashville. Christmas greens, candles and a variety of Yuletide symbols made the home a colorful setting for the pre-holiday affair. Mrs. H. S. Wilson and Mrs. Homer Peters were assisting hostesses.

During the business hour, the club members voted to send seven Christmas begonias to the U. S. Army Air Base Lockbourne, for the wards of the hospital. This continues the club project of furnishing flowers and shrubbery for the base hospital.

Mrs. Wilson presented an interesting and informative paper on "The Legend of the Poinsettia, and Its Care."

Club members enjoyed a period of carol singing before exchanging gifts.

A lovely arrangement of chrysanthemums centered the tea table in the dining room where Mrs. Whitehead and the assisting hostesses served seasonal refreshments.

D. A. R. Essay Contest

Mrs. J. B. Stevenson, conservation chairman of Pickaway Plains Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, has received additional information concerning the essay contest being sponsored by the Ohio Chapter of the D. A. R. Mrs. Ralph Miller, of Painesville, state conservation chairman, reports that the contest is open to high school students, including those of the county schools, the winner in each school to be decided by the school heads.

Those entering the contest are to take as their subject, "The New Raw Material—Wood." A prize of \$25 will be given by Mrs. Miller. The winning essays in each community are to be sent to Mrs. Miller by February 1, 1945. The final decision will be made by Judge Guy B. Findley, head of Ohio Forestry. Neatness and legibility will count.

In sponsoring the contest, the D. A. R. is attempting to acquaint the youth of Ohio with the growing importance of wood as one of our foremost renewable resources. The great strides in wood inventions and wood chemistry made before and during this world conflict between nations are almost unbelievable.

There is no length limit on the essays.

Willing Workers' Class

About 20 members and guests of the Willing Workers' class of the Pontius United Brethren church were entertained Thursday at the annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Forest Croman, Washington township.

Mrs. A. W. Bosworth, president, conducted devotionals centered around the Christmas theme. During the business hour, election of officers resulted in Mrs. Hulen Brooks being named president; Mrs. Creaton Kraft, vice president; Mrs. Guy Stockman, secretary; Mrs. Sterley Croman, assistant secretary; Mrs. Russell Palm, pianist; Mrs. Louise Glitt, assistant; and Miss Edwina Holderman, treasurer.

Lunch was served from a beautifully decorated table in the dining room. The centerpiece of the tea table was of red candles, ground pine and colorful balls. Miss Hulda Leist poured.

Walnut Needle Club

Mrs. T. P. Brown, of North Court street, was a guest Thursday when members of the Walnut Needle club enjoyed the annual Christmas party at Mrs. Marion's party home. An exchange of gifts followed the delightful luncheon at 1 o'clock. The guests were served at a table beautifully decorated with Christmas greens.

The January session will be at the home of Mrs. W. C. Nothstine, of Walnut township.

Royal Neighbors

Members of the Royal Neighbors and their families gathered Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Root, Walnut street, for a delightful cooperative dinner at 7:30 p. m. A large tree,



GREETINGS
for the Holiday
and the
New Year

Grand-Girard
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SOCIAL CALENDAR

THURSDAY
WASHINGTON GRANGE,
Washington school, Thursday
at 6:30 p. m.

Christmas candles and greens made the home a lovely setting for the party.
Gifts were exchanged at the close of the dinner hour. Members passed the evening at the card tables, after a period of carol singing.

Washington Grange

Washington grange will meet Thursday, December 28, at the Washington school auditorium. A cooperative dinner will be served at 6:30 p. m.

Pythian Sisters

All officers of Majors Temple, Pythian Sisters, were reelected Thursday at the meeting in Pythian Castle lodge room. Miss Ethel Stein, most excellent chief, was in charge of the business hour.

Mrs. Turney Glick was elected as delegate to Grand Lodge, and Mrs. Loring Evans, as delegate to the district convention.

A covered dish lunch was served by Mrs. Mae Groce, Mrs. Charles Stoffer and Mrs. Turney Glick. An exchange of gifts was a feature of the Christmas party.

Personals

Mrs. Cora Wenrich, 326 East Franklin street, has returned home after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bausam, of Columbus.

Mrs. Margaret Mills, of Watt street, went to Canton Friday to spend the Christmas holidays with her son, Dudley Mills, and Mrs. Mills and their two daughters. Mrs. Mills expects to return Wednesday.

Mrs. Channing Vierbome, of East Main street, is visiting over the holidays with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Vierbome, of Zanesville.

Miss Mary Virginia Crites, Ohio State university, Columbus, is spending the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Meinhardt M. Crites, of West Franklin street.

Miss Carolyn Herrmann, Ohio State university, Columbus, is home for the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Herrmann, of North Washington street.

Mrs. Florence Duvendek, of Williamsport, was a Thursday shopping visitor in Circleville.

Mrs. Chester Valentine, Salt-creek township, was a Circleville shopper Thursday.

Mrs. Glad Willis, Washington township, was a Circleville visitor Thursday.

Mrs. Marcus Rife and Miss May Kathryn Rife, Walnut township, were Thursday shopping visitors in Circleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Liston, Monroe township, were Circleville visitors Thursday.

LOVELY LANA LEARNS TO DUNK 'EM



SCREEN ACTRESS LANA TURNER takes a lesson in doughnut dunking from Mary Hobson, of the American Red Cross, who is in New York following several months of overseas duty in the China-Burma-India theater of war where she served hot sinkers to the boys from a mobile unit. Mary is demonstrating the GI technique. (International)

STARS SAY—

For Friday, December 22

WHILE this is presaged to be an exceedingly lively and exciting day, yet the auguries are not considered propitious or promising. There are many loopholes for errors, mistakes, poor judgment and rash or tricky personal behavior. These may be strengthened by outside forces spelling treacherous, aggravating, deceitful and sinister situations that may incite to unreasonable, extravagant, indulgent and other reckless acts running counter to safety, popularity with those in high places and in intimate relationships. A nervous and high-tensioned state of health and mind may invite loss and ill favor.

Birthday Signs

Those whose birthday it is may experience a year of high pressure, excitement and agitation, with things moving at high tempo, but all probably unprofitable and regrettable, since difficult, tricky, and deceitful circumstances may warp the judgment, react on the nerves and health and culminate in reckless, indulgent, extravagant and quarrelsome conduct, with regrettable friction and inharmonious relations with superiors, elders and others in close relations. Unless firm restraints, straightforward activities and sound sense be used, there are ominous denouements in sight.

A child born on this day, although enterprising and energetic, may be disposed to extravagance, overdoing in finances and personal conduct, with tendencies toward misrepresentation and expediency rather than high principle, unless given sound early training and discipline.



There Will Always Be A Christmas

Come war or pestilence or burdens hard to bear, among men of good will there will always be a Christmas.

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And to thank others who risk far more on foreign beaches than can ever be repaid.

Howard Hall Post
American Legion

KINGSTON

The Ne Plus Ultra class of the Methodist Sunday school met in the Parish hall of the church. The president, Mrs. Elizabeth Bennett presided and called the meeting to order with the group singing "O Come All Ye Faithful." Mrs. Myrtle Routt had charge of the devotionals and offered prayer. After the reading of the minutes of the November meeting and roll call an interesting talk on "The Omens of Peace" was given by Mrs. Bennett. A report was given by Mrs. Claude Ortman, chairman of the flower committee.

Twenty-six members and six visitors were present.

A reading on "Traditions of Christmas" was given by Mrs. D. H. Dresbach.

Mrs. Wallace entertained the class with a group of Christmas carols on the piano.

The entertaining committee, Mrs. Albert Kerns, Mrs. Chauncey Butler, Mrs. A. A. Meadows and Mrs. John Shoemaker, served refreshments.

The Kingston Garden club met at the home of Mrs. S. C. Lightner Monday, December 18, with Mrs. Leroy Wilkin and Mrs. E. V. Graves assisting. The president, Mrs. Claude Ortman opened the meeting with the group singing

Christmas carols. Fourteen members were present. The visitors were: Mrs. Harvey Biery, Miss Mildred Holderman and Mrs. Paul Priest. A reading "On the Origin of the Christmas Tree" by Mrs. E. V. Graves. Refreshments were served at the tea table. Mrs. Ortman and Mrs. Frank Haynes assisted. The next meeting will be January 6 at the home of Mrs. Renick Dunlap. A covered dish supper will precede the meeting.

Mrs. S. C. Harshman entertained the Senior class at dinner Sunday evening. Those present were: Mary Ruth Shaw, Ruth Ellen Carper, Norma Jean Davis, Helen Louise Brooks, Carl Virgil Hohenstein, Jr.,

Donald Eugene Betz, John Nelson Roll and Edward Clarence Bennett, Jr.

After dinner the group attended the movie "Mr. Winkle Goes to War," at a Chillicothe theatre.

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Truck and Passenger
O. P. A. Certificate Required
Also Fast Recapping Service
A. & H. TIRE CO.
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LOTS OF DESIRABLE toys for girls and boys at Garde.

CHRISTMAS TOYS — Rocking chairs, doll beds, cradles and buggies; small straight chairs; stroller horses. Use our convenient lay away plan. R. & R. Furniture Co.

Articles for Sale

POINSETTIAS, Begonias, Cyclamens. Walnut St. Greenhouse.

ENAMEL AND GLASS roasters; electric hot plate, one and two holes; white porcelain bottle sterilizer; white enamel double boiler; tea kettle, pails and dishpans. Harpster & Yost Hardware.

6 NICE PIGS, 50 lbs. each. \$6 each. 133 York St.

CHRISTMAS TREES, priced reasonable. Weavers, corner Corwin and Clinton.

Real Estate for Sale

6-ROOM HOME with bath and furnace in good location. Early possession.

GEO. C. BARNES
Masonic Temple
Phone 63

AN UP TO DATE country home with small acreage, priced to sell. A frame duplex on Mount St., price \$6,000. A 5-room frame dwelling with soft water bath and electricity, corner lot, price right. A 5-room frame dwelling with bath and electricity on a large lot, price \$14,000. A 7-room frame dwelling, slate roof, bath, furnace and electricity, including extra lot on corner, priced right. 95-acre farm, well improved on a good road, possession March 1, at a low price; and several good buys. For information see W. C. Morris, Broker, 219 South Court St. Phone 234 or 162.

SOUTH SCIOTO ST. — 3-room house, large lot, owner leaving city. 30 days' possession. Priced for quick sale.

DONALD H. WATT, Broker
Phones 70 and 730
Circleville, Ohio

CAPE COD COUNTRY HOME
Beautiful modern home with garage. Unusually nice yard and landscaping. About 2 miles from Circleville. Immediate possession. Exclusive listing.

DONALD H. WATT, Broker
Phones 70 and 730
Circleville, Ohio

Wanted to Buy

2 BOYS' 24-inch bicycles. Grand Theatre, phone 320.

CASH PAID for old books. David Webb, Chillicothe, Ohio.

ARE YOU SELLING your radio, stove or furniture? If so, call 135 day or evening.

Raw Furs

We pay top prices for all Furs and Beef Hides

Circleville Iron & Metal Co.
Phone No. 3 Mill and Clinton Sts.

Christmas SHOPPING

GIFTS FOR ALL the family are available at Pettit's. Lamps, a very nice selection of floor lamps for the lady of the house, really adequate ash trays for father or hubby who is not very careful when disposing of the ash; gifts of Imperial glassware for the hard to please member of the household and even gifts for the kiddies. This store has added this line of gifts within the past year and their entire stock is new and up-to-date. Rosewood Pottery is another of their gifts which is very attractive and priced within the reach of all. Don't fail to visit this shop before completing your shopping tour.

WHEN YOU have exhausted your patience trying to decide what to give mother or the better-half who happens to be the housekeeper try a visit to the Harpster and Yost Hardware store. There you will find a really nice assortment of practical gifts for the housewife. These are the things she will really appreciate. Enamel and glass roasters, even the size for the proverbial Christmas bird are now in stock. There are numerous other articles there that will certainly enable you to find the gift that you have been trying to get.

WINE with the meal helps make the holidays—Wine brings to the table a kindly good cheer. These days, that's helpful. You'll find that wine goes well with almost any warm dish you wish to serve. Enjoy it at the table—use it in your holiday cooking—it works miracles with food flavoring—Son's Grill has a supply of good wines.

GLAMOUR GIFTS from the L. M. Butch company, jewelers. Exclusive costume jewelry. A particular set of three pieces consists of a pin for mid-lady's lapel or just the right decoration for that otherwise plain dress with matching ear-rings. The pin is a spray of flowers made of sterling silver and washed with yellow gold. The center of the flowers is a pink rhinestone. Five of these stones are grouped in the spray and the ear-rings are a reproduction of the flowers from the pin. This would make a wonderful gift for the hard to select for. The pin is priced at \$14 and the ear-rings at \$7.

FOR THE TOP MAN on your list go to the Caddy Miller Hat shop to select his gift. This is truly a man shop and has been for the past five generations. Many of your great grandfathers selected their gifts from these same shelves. The store specializes in nationally advertised and hi-grade men's clothing. For many years past a gift certificate for a Stetson hat has occupied the place of honor on the Christmas tree. It would be doubly appropriate for this war-time Christmas.

SUGAR AND SPICE and everything nice goes into the making of the fruit cakes that are for sale this year at Wallace's Bakery. They are made in one, two and three pound cakes. Daintily wrapped they make delightful gifts. Ingredients for these cakes are now difficult to get for the home maker so leave your order for your cakes early. They are priced 75c, \$1.50 and \$2.25.

THE R. & R. FURNITURE store has a pile of gifts for the children. We noted some decorated tables for the tiny housekeeper. All finished and ready for the afternoon tea party. Miniature chairs for the tiny guests. They are in numerous sizes and shapes, priced to suit even the conservative buyer. See these before you finish your Christmas shopping.

CHRISTMAS, the true meaning of which is portrayed in churches of all denominations by an image of the Christ Child in a manger is now being brought to the homes by means of creche figures. These tiny figurines are for sale at the W. T. Grant company, and this year more than ever when the minds of all should be turned to the Christ Child in petition for a speedy return of our fighting boys to their homes these little figures will be used as constant reminders on our mantles, tables, windows and under the Christmas tree. See them.

Financial

MONEY LOANED on easy terms to buy, build or repair homes or for personal needs. Principal reduced each three months. Payments received weekly or monthly. The Scioto Building and Loan Co.

NO HOUSEKEEPER ever had too many small throw rugs. Therefore a gift of one of these would always please. The pretty rag rugs our grandparents used are now coming back to their own and mothers of small children find them a boon to good housekeeping. They are easily washed and very inexpensive. See them and others at Griffith and Martin.

THINGS TO GIVE to the home maker are to be found in abundance at the Kochheiser hardware store. None of them will be done up in Christmas packages but they will be mighty appreciated just the same. Handy nests of bowls, cute little individual bakers with handles that make hot dishes so easy to serve, rolling pins, meat and food choppers, potters tea pots and many similar gifts that go to make a real homey old fashioned Christmas.

IT IS ALWAYS difficult to find an appropriate gift for the shut-in or the invalid. The persons to whom Christmas may mean nothing if their friends neglect them may be remembered by a gift of fruit. The Clarence Wolf grocery has a complete line of all fresh seasonal fruits and will be glad to help select and fill a gift basket or box.

CLOSING-OUT PUBLIC SALE

I have sold my farm and will hold a complete closing out sale, 1/2 mile north of Kiousville, 12 miles east of London, 7 miles north of Mt. Sterling, on what is known as the Chamberlain farm, on

Wednesday, Jan. 3

Beginning at 11 o'clock, prompt.

5—HEAD OF HORSES—5

Two Percheron mares, 6 years old; 1 Percheron colt, 3 years old; 1 Percheron colt, 2 years old; 1 Percheron colt, 7 months old.

2—MILK COWS—2

88—HEAD OF HOGS—88

Eight Chester White brood sows, some with pigs by side; 80 shots ranging in weight from 50 to 100 lbs.

FARM IMPLEMENTS

One twin power Massey Harris tractor on rubber with power lift and cultivators; 1 Massey Harris 2-bottom tractor plow; 1 Massey Harris tractor disc; Massey Harris power corn binder; Moline hay loader; 1 new John Deere power manure loader; 2 Massey Harris manure spreaders; Moline corn planter with fertilizer attachments; 1 Massey Harris mowing machine; 2 Massey Harris cultivators; 1 combination corn and grain loader; 1 Marshall corn husker; 1 Gibson oats crusher with steel platform; 1 Massey Harris ensilage cutter with pipes; 1 new steel rubber tired wagon, never been used; 7 wagons; 1 Stock-B corn sheller mounted on truck; walking plow; 2 section harrow; sower; 1 John Deere 6 H. P. E type gas engine; 2 sleds; 7 tarpaulins; four 1000-lb. chain blocks; and other articles too numerous to mention.

HOG RAISING EQUIPMENT

Four round galvanized 100-gal. Winter fountains; 2 sled galvanized 100-gal. hog Winter fountains; 4 sled galvanized 100-gal. Summer fountains, these hog fountains are all good as new; three 8-ft. galvanized automatic hog feeders; three 10-ft. galvanized automatic hog feeders, these feeders are good as new; portable granary on wheels; 60 8x3 ft. hurdles; 15 hog boxes; 23 hog troughs; 1 electric pig and lamb brooder; 20 7x8 ft. hog feeder or hog box platform; 200 rods of pre-war hog fence; 1 pair of emasculators.

MISCELLANEOUS

1 set of harness; 5 collars; 5 halters; 12 sled galvanized water tanks; 12 sheep racks, 12 ft. long, good ones; 4 sled cattle racks, extra good; five 12-ft. gates; 3500 ft. of used and new oak lumber; 600 steel posts; 18 used house doors; 100 rods of barb wire fence; 4 rolls of slat fence for corn cribs; cable; 3 steel pressure tanks; 50 5x20 steel pipes; 50 3/4 in. by 12 ft. used pipe; air compressor with motor; 40 ft. extension ladder; electric shearing machine; motor driven wheelbarrow; shovels; picks; axes; hammers; wrenches; small hand tools and articles too numerous to mention.

FEED—2500 bales of straw, A-1; 3500 bales of mixed hay. These are large bales, A-1; 1000 bushels of oats.

TERMS—CASH

C. S. WILSON
Martin Wilson and
Walter Bumgarner, auctioneers.
E. E. Gregg, clerk.
O. J. Ray, settling clerk.
Lunch will be served. Sale will start on time!

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT
Estate of Josephine Wolfe Fischer
Dec. 22, 29, Jan. 5.

Notice is hereby given that George Fischer, Sr. whose Post Office address is Circleville, Ohio, R. No. 3 has been duly appointed Administrator of the Estate of Josephine Wolfe Fischer late of Pickaway County, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 18th day of December, 1944.

LEMUEL B. WELDON, Judge of the Probate Court Pickaway County, Ohio.

LEGAL NOTICE
Martha Hoshor, Ida Boyer, Joe Ricketts and the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, admors, executors and assigns of William Boyer, deceased, whose places of residence are unknown, hereby give notice that they will take notice that on the 20th day of November, 1944, the plaintiff, Stanley B. Peters and Hazel O. Peters, filed their petition against them in the Court of Common Pleas of Pickaway County, Ohio, the same being Cause No. 19157 in said Court, for the quieting of title to real estate in the petition described, to-wit:

Situated in the County of Pickaway, in the State of Ohio and in the City of Circleville and bounded and described as follows:

Being Thirty-five (35) feet by fifty-nine (59) feet of the northwest portion of Lot Number Ten (10) according to the re-numbering of the lots of said City of Circleville, Ohio.

The prayer of said petition is for the quieting of the title of said plaintiffs to said real estate and for other equitable relief. Said defendants are required to answer said petition on or before the 20th day of January, 1945, or judgment will be taken against them.

STANLEY B. PETERS and **HAZEL O. PETERS**, Plaintiffs.
By J. W. Adkins, Jr., their attorney
Nov. 24, Dec. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, Jan. 5, 1945.

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Public Sales

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THURSDAY, Jan. 4

At residence 1/4 mile east of Circleville, 1/4 of a mile northeast of Washington, township school, beginning at 12 o'clock, J. B. Woods and J. D. Smith, Chalfin & Leist, auctioneers.

CLOSING-OUT PUBLIC SALE

I have sold my farms and will hold a closing-out sale at the Fenner farm on the Harrison road, 1 1/2 miles east of Yatesville, 5 miles north of Bloomingburg and 15 miles south of London.

Friday, January 5 (Beginning at 10:30 a. m.)

5—HEAD OF HORSES—5
One team of gray Percheron mares, weight 3200 lbs., 10 years old; one team of steel gray mares, 6 years old, weight 3200 lbs.; one bay riding pony, weight about 900 lbs.

83—HEAD OF CATTLE—83
Eight good milk cows; 75 head of good Hereford Spring and Summer calves; (heifers and steers all weaned and doing good).

5—HEAD OF HOGS—5
Five Hampshire boars, eligible to register and ready for service.

POWER EQUIPMENT

One Farmall M tractor on rubber with cultivators; one F-14 tractor on steel with cultivators; one Case tractor on rubber, used one season; one McCormick-Deering corn binder; one 28-in. Advance Rumley threshing machine; one McCormick-Deering power corn sheller; 100-ft. drive belt; one 25-ft. drive belt; one Deering ensilage cutter; two McCormick-Deering 10-ft. power binders; one almost new; one McCormick-Deering 12-7 grain drill with power lift; one McCormick-Deering double disc; one McCormick-Deering cultipacker; one McCormick-Deering heavy duty hay loader; one Oliver hay loader; one 4-section rotary hoe; one Clipper seed cleaner with motor; one McCormick-Deering hammer mill.

OTHER IMPLEMENTS

One J. D. VanBrunt 8x7 grain drill; one McCormick-Deering mower; one 6-ft. double cutter; one McCormick-Deering manure spreader; one Oliver Manure spreader; two rubber tired wagons with good bed (100-lb. capacity); two iron wheel wagons; one iron wheel wagon with water hauling tank; one pump jack.

HARNESS

Eight sets of good harness, leather collars, etc., and two pony saddles.

MISCELLANEOUS

Eight Smiley hog feeders (6-ft.); 12 hog boxes; 25 oak platforms for feeders; hog boxes, tanks, etc.; 40 hurdles; a lot of steel and wood fence posts; 8 steel water tanks (various sizes); about 200 rods of hog fence; 3 tank heaters; 2 hay forks; a lot of bale ties; 2 iron kettles; 2 large presses; 1 blacksmith forge; 1 bench saw; 1 electric motor (one horsepower); 1 air compressor; 1 electric emery grinder; 1 set of fence stretchers; 1 weeder and grass seed sower (12-ft.); 3 - section spring tooth harrow; 1 lime spreader; 3 brooder houses; 2 wheelbarrows.

FEED—3500 bales of good mixed hay; 300 bales of wheat straw; 25 tons of mixed hay in mow.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

One 5-piece walnut bedroom suite; two iron beds; one American Oriental rug; one regular 8x12 rug; several small rugs; one table; mahogany living room table; 4 heating stoves, and many other items.

R. N. JOHNSON

Terms—Cash.
Lunch served by ladies of Yatesville Church.
Walter Bumgarner, auctioneer.
Albert Schmidt, clerk.

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Princeton Coach

10:30 Billie Burke Show
11:00 Theatre of Today
11:30 Stars over Hollywood

SATURDAY P. M.

12:00 Grand Central Station
12:30 JIM COOPER, NEWS
12:45 Round Robin Review
1:00 At The Consoles
1:15 How's The Patient
1:30 Carolina Hayride
2:00 TRA
2:30 Syncopeation Piece
3:00 Renown from Washing-
ton
3:15 Report from Overseas
3:30 Assignment Home
4:00 Philadelphia Orchestra

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1460 KILOCYCLES



NEWS OF OUR MEN and WOMEN IN UNIFORM

Sergeant Richard Weldon, of Alexandria Air Field, Alexandria, La., arrived in Circleville Wednesday night to pass a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Turney Weldon, of South Court street.

Sergeant R. S. Kissling, of Fort Jackson, S. C., returned to camp after spending a few days with his wife at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hodges, of Ringgold Farm, Washington township.

Lieutenant David S. Goldschmidt, A. T.-N. A. S., is stationed at Patuxent River, Md. Mrs. Goldschmidt and their daughters are with him.

Corporal Ray E. Zeimers has reported to Camp Atterbury, Ind., after spending a 30-day leave with his wife, Mrs. Goldie Zeimers, and daughter, Martha Jane, of Stoutsville. This was Cpl. Zeimers' first furlough since he entered the Army in October, 1942. He spent two years in the Canal Zone, where he is to return.

New address of Clark K. Hunsicker, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Clark K. Hunsicker, of West Union street, is: Corporal Clark K. Hunsicker, Jr., L. W. Repl. Unit, 2nd TCY, Camp Polk, La.

Private Paul Schein, Co. B, 21st Btry, 6th Regt. IARTC, Camp Gordon, Ga., has just been transferred to this station from a station in Maryland.

Sergeant Gerald W. Ayers is spending a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ayers, of East Main street. Sgt. Ayers is stationed at Mac Dill Field, Fla., with the 19th Radio Security Section.

MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE

ONE MINUTE PULPIT

Give, and it shall be given unto you; good measure, pressed down, and shaken together, and running over, shall men give into your bosom. For with the same measure that ye mete withal it shall be measured to you again.—St. Luke 4:38. Daily Bible Reading, John 1.

Final rehearsal of Trinity Lutheran Senior choir for the Christmas music will be held Friday evening after the Children's service in the church. All members are urged to be present.

The Eagles Club will sponsor a games party at the home on East Main street, Friday night, starting at 8:30. Everyone invited.—ad.

Mrs. Evelyn Nothstine and baby boy were released Thursday from Berger hospital and removed to their home in Laurelville.

Mrs. James H. Stout, 316 East Franklin street, has been removed to her home from Mt. Carmel hospital, Columbus, where she has been under the care of a bone specialist. Mrs. Stout suffered a broken arm last week in a fall on ice in the yard of her home.

OHIO HUNTING LAWS PROTECT HARMFUL FOXES

The increase and spread of foxes throughout Ohio, with consequent toll of farm poultry and wildlife, has led to widespread plans for fox drives. This practice frequently clashes with the law of the state, and criticism falls wrongly on the Division of Conservation and Natural Resources, Law Enforcement Chief Lester Bailey points out.

The three issues of discord center around hunting without licenses, killing with a club and hunting on Sunday. "The Division of Conservation is as anxious as anybody to control the fox," declares Mr. Bailey, "but the law cannot be ignored." The following excerpts from the General Code are cited:

Sec. 1392, Par. B, provides in part: Game birds and wild quadrupeds shall be taken only by hunting with gun, gun and dog, with bow and arrow, or with bow and arrow and dog.

Sec. 1431: No person shall hunt or trap any wild bird or wild quadruped within the state without first having applied for and received a hunting and trapping license as required herein.

Sec. 1390: Hunting is defined as pursuing, shooting, killing or capturing wild birds, or wild quadrupeds, and all other acts such as

placing, setting, drawing or employing any device commonly used to kill wild birds or wild quadrupeds, whether they result in such killing or capturing or not; every attempt to kill or capture, and every act of assistance to any other person in killing or capturing, or attempting to kill or capture wild birds or wild quadrupeds.

Sec. 1391: Prohibits hunting a wild quadruped on Sunday.

From the above it will be noted that hunting on Sunday, using clubs to kill foxes, or hunting without licenses, is clearly illegal. If changes in the above provisions are desired they should be referred to the legislature.

Constitutional law does not prevent a landowner from killing any predator on his own premises which is doing substantial damage.

DRUNKEN DRIVER HELD

William Esetp, 30, West Virginia, charged with operating an auto while under the influence of alcohol, was released Friday on \$100 bond. He was arrested at

2:30 a. m. on South Court street by Patrolman Marshall and Martin.

College youths can't be up on their history because how come they don't know that in ancient

times the only persons who went about bare-headed were the slaves?

Joy At CHRISTMAS Prosperity For The NEW YEAR

May Christmas Day be a day of merriment and the days of the New Year ahead be filled with Peace and Contentment.

We Invite All Our Friends Both

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During 1945

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We Look Forward Eagerly...

to the annual visit of Old Saint Nick. The spirit of Christmas is in the air. The bustle and stir of Christmas is about us. Young and old alike look with eager expectation to this day of days—

We want to greet you in the spirit of the season wishing you

Merry Christmas
Happy New Year

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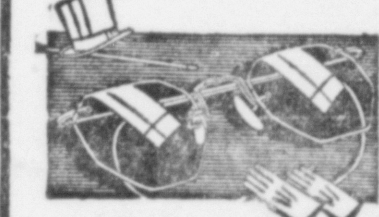
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Wednesday Evening
Dec. 27

MEMORIAL HALL

Music by Chuck Selby and His Orchestra

10:00 P. M. to 1:00 A. M.—Dress Optional

Tickets on sale by members of the Kiwanis Club

\$3.00 per couple

Sponsored by

The Circleville Kiwanis Club



May Jolly Old Saint Nicholas descend your chimney with a load of good things for your entire household.

After your Christmas Joy may you have an entire year of

Good Luck And Happiness!

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"GROWN-UPS" TOO!

Sometimes it may seem that children have the most fun at Christmas. For them the tree is trimmed; for them Dad digs down deep into his pocket to buy the toys they want so much. But "grown-ups" find something bigger and better than gifts. They find that warm glow of inner happiness that comes from the pleasure of giving.

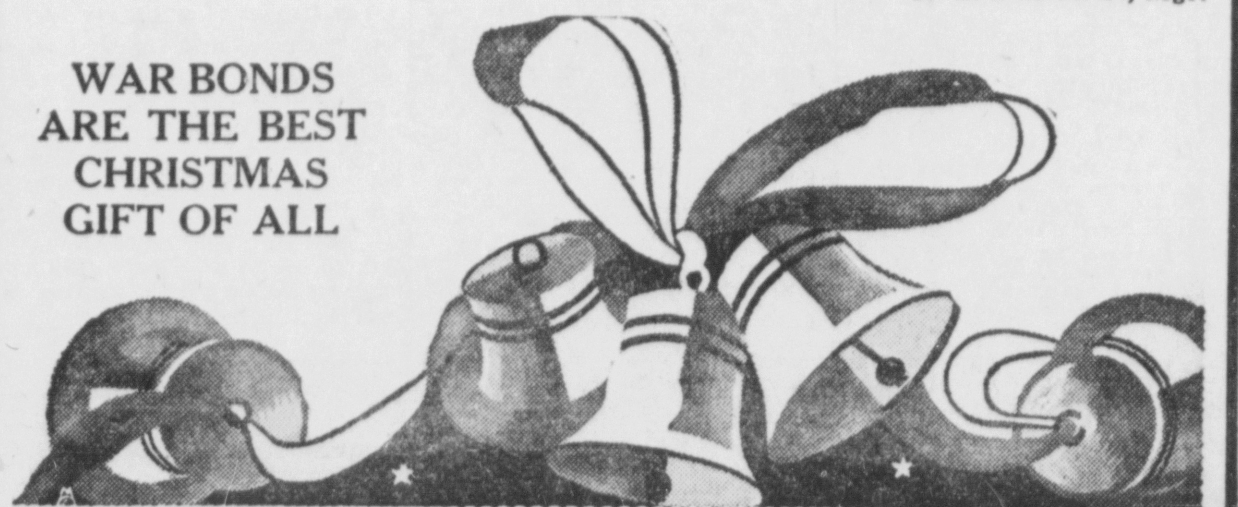


When strangers smile and say "Merry Christmas," when eyes are laughing and hearts filled with friendliness, they find new faith, new hope for good things to come. Their prayers for an early victory are more fervent, their belief in a lasting peace stronger for they have found again the knowledge that good is in every heart.

Ohio Water Service Co.

H. B. DENMAN, Mgr.

WAR BONDS
ARE THE BEST
CHRISTMAS
GIFT OF ALL





Since the Three Wise Men followed the Star of Bethlehem to where the infant Jesus was cradled, truth-loving people have traveled far and sought throughout their lives to end the sources of evil in mankind, which bring about such catastrophes as the present war. Let us hope that it is the last such war—and that His Spirit will fill all hearts with the light of love and peace.

STURM & DILLARD CO.

Season's Greetings

And best wishes for

*A Merry Christmas
AND
A Victorious New Year*

CHAS. T. GILMORE
Division Manager

**Colubus and Southern Ohio Electric
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SULPHUR SPRING
PAVILION
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MONDAY, DEC. 25
Music by AL and THE BOYS
Come and Join the Fun
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8:30 to 11:30 (slow time)
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Every Way



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for the Holiday Season

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that your Christmas is crowned by all
that is jolly.

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Our sincere wish is that this Christmas
Season may abound in Happiness for
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OUR WISH
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LET US PRAY



THIS CHRISTMAS



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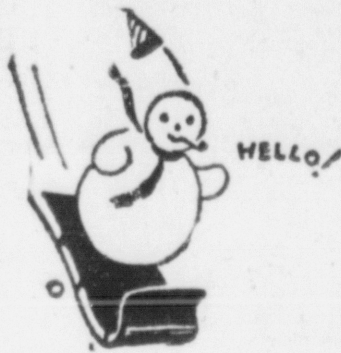
1944 years ago the birth of the Christ Child gave
us a faith in prayer, a hope for a better life that
has endured through the centuries. Today this
same faith still burns bright in our hearts and shall to the end of
time. This Christmas let us gather with our friends in the church
of our faith and send up our fervent prayers for an early Vic-
tory and a lasting Peace.

All that is good in men must make itself felt. In the name of our
fathers, our sons and brothers who are now fighting; in the name
of our honored dead, let us pray for the future happiness of a
war-torn world which is to be seen in the Victory which shall be
ours. Our Christmas prayers will renew our faith in the good
inherent in every individual and bring us at last the Peace we so
earnestly seek.

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Wishing You a Merry Christmas



The Yuletide season is here once again. In wishing you a Merry Christmas we want to express our thanks for your patronage in the past year, and the hope that we may serve you again in the year to come.

Charles D. Radcliff

PICKAWAY CO. SHERIFF



MAY SANTA BRING YOU JOY AND HAPPINESS ON THIS GLAD HOLIDAY—AND OUR VERY BEST CHRISTMAS WISHES TO YOU AND YOURS.

HENRY T. McCRADY

COUNTY ENGINEER



THESE ARE BUSY, BUSY DAYS BUT WE'VE ALWAYS TIME TO PAUSE A MOMENT WHILE WE WISH YOU A MERRY CHRISTMAS.

WALTER F. HEINE, M. D.



THE BELLS RING GAILY THIS CHRISTMAS DAY—WHILE OUR BEST WISHES FOR THE HOLIDAY ARE FILLED WITH GOOD CHEER FOR ALL OF OUR GOOD FRIENDS.

JOHN KELLER

COUNTY COMMISSIONER



TO YOU AND YOURS GO OUR HEARTIEST WISHES FOR A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A GLORIOUS NEW YEAR. MAY ALL YOUR DREAMS COME TRUE THIS YULETIDE SEASON.

WAYNE HOOVER

COUNTY COMMISSIONER



HOLLY AT THE WINDOW, GLEAMING LIGHTS ON THE TREE, PEOPLE'S LAUGHING VOICES, CAROLS FLOATING THROUGH THE AIR—TRULY AN AMERICAN CHRISTMAS. MAY IT NEVER CHANGE. OUR YULETIDE WISH IS FOR A WORLD AT PEACE SOON!

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FRED C. CLARK



BRIGHT AS THE STAR OF BETHLEHEM IS OUR DEEP FAITH THAT THIS YEAR WILL YET SEE COMPLETE PEACE ON EARTH AND THE SPEEDY RETURN OF OUR BOYS.

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WHAT BETTER WAY TO EXPRESS OUR GOOD CHEER AND HAPPY WISHES TO YOU ON THIS JOYOUS DAY, THAN TO SAY IN THE SAME OLD-FASHIONED WAY—MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ONE AND ALL.

E. A. SMITH

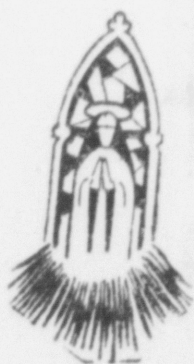
ATTORNEY AT LAW



May the tireless efforts of our hometown workers coupled with the determination of our stalwart fighting men bring ultimate success and the realization of our hopes—that is our sincere wish this Yuletide season.

BEN H. GORDON

MAYOR



Jolly Santa is heading your way. Here's hoping he's bringing the best gift of all—peace for all men of good will!

LYMAN PENN

County Commissioner



THOUGH HE'S FAR AWAY, HIS THOUGHTS ARE WITH YOU THIS DAY. MAY ALL HIS CHRISTMAS WISHES AND YOURS BE GRANTED AND MAY THE COMING NEW YEAR BE A HAPPY ONE.

P. C. ROUTZAHN

OSTEOPATHIST

CHARLES H. MAY

ATTORNEY AT LAW



Our heartfelt wishes for a Merry Christmas are sent to you this year with the sincere hope that all families will be re-united in the joys of a victorious future—soon.

CLARENCE HELVERING

SERVICE DIRECTOR



MAY YOU KNOW TRADITIONAL JOYS WHEREVER YOU MAY BE ON THIS CHRISTMAS DAY AND MAY YOUR RETURN HOME BE SOON!

JOHN G. BOGGS

and EMPLOYEES OF AAA OFFICE



The prevailing spirit of good will embraces us all during this joyous season. We too want to extend to you personally, our hearty good wishes for the Holidays.

GEORGE D. McDOWELL

COUNTY SUPT. OF SCHOOLS



Midst the gay laughter and the twinkling lights we think of our fighting men who cannot be with us to make ring true this year's Yuletide happiness. To them we wish the best of everything and a speedy return to their loved ones.

ROBERT COLVILLE

COUNTY RECORDER



Christmas comes but once a year. Carry on its glorious spirit in the traditional American way, even though loved ones may be far from home. We are adding our share of good cheer by saying "Merry Christmas" to one and all.

Meeker Terwilliger

COMMON PLEAS JUDGE



Wm. McCrady

CHIEF OF POLICE



Thurman Miller

SAFETY DIRECTOR

Sincerely—

Wishing You A Christmas of
Mirth And Good Cheer

— and —

A New Year of Happiness
And Bounty



Stiffler's Store

The Pilgrims Put All Their Trust
In a Divine Providence.

In the Snow at Famous Valley
Forge Washington Knelt in Prayer.

In His Room Lincoln Prayed
Mightily for Victory at Gettysburg.

"Lo, I Am With
You Always ..."

Today ... May We Turn To The
Faith of Our Fathers for Comfort,
Strength and Victory.

The Prince Of Peace Wills—
"PEACE ON EARTH, GOOD WILL TOWARD MEN"

The Circleville Ice Co.

Greetings

As we enter the Holiday Season our thoughts
turn gratefully to those whose friendship and
confidence mean so much to us. We appreciate
your friendship and thank you sincerely for your
expression of loyalty and regard during the year
drawing to a close.

We wish you and yours a most joyous, happy
Christmas and may 1945 be a year of accomplish-
ment carrying our Nation far forward on the
road to Victory and Peace on Earth.

Lawrence J. Johnson
INSURANCE AGENCY
We can help You

Our Best
Christmas
Wishes to You



High above the broken cities and war-
torn fields, rides the changeless Christ-
mas Star, the eternal symbol of Christian
faith and hope. Men and nations must
at last yield to its regenerative force
and turn back to ways of peace and
brotherhood.

We hope you have a pleasant Christ-
mas and that next year our boys from
all over the world will be home to enjoy
Christmas with us.

**THE THIRD
NATIONAL BANK**

"WHERE SERVICE PREDOMINATES"

MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

**Merry
Christmas**

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

Not even the clouds of war can damp-
en this spirit of Good-Will which
abounds in our great and peace-loving
land at Christmas, and during this,
the most significant of all Seasons, we
extend to you our heartiest Greetings.
The stern demands of war have made
it impossible for us to maintain per-
sonal outside contact, but the friendly
spirit of cooperation which has been
accorded us and the cheerful, unselfish
manner in which our customers have
accepted the situation, has been a real
inspiration.

We join in the earnest prayer that the
return to peacetime pursuits will be
hastened, and that the true meaning
of Christmas

"PEACE ON EARTH—GOOD WILL
TOWARD MEN"

will be happily realized in the com-
ing year.

**Kochheiser
Hardware**

**PEACE
and
GOOD WILL
To All
MANKIND**

May joys and happiness fill your
cup of life to overflowing on this
happy holiday, and peace and good
will be ever with you throughout
the New Year.

**A
MERRY CHRISTMAS
AND A
HAPPY NEW YEAR**

**The Circleville Savings
and Banking Co.**
Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corp.

Back the Attack

by

**Making Christmas
Merry**

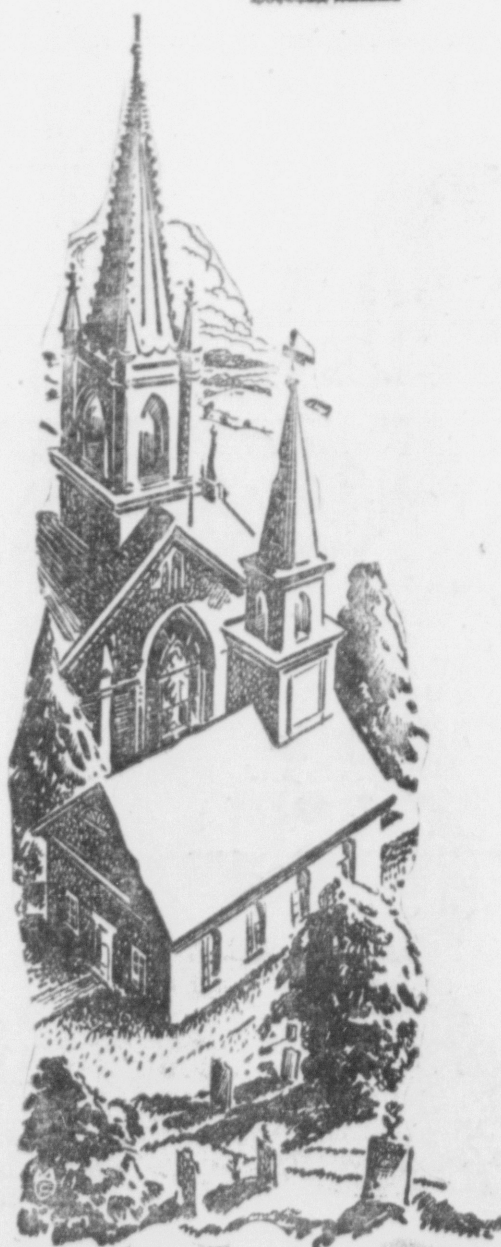
**WE EXTEND OUR GREETINGS FOR
CHRISTMAS AND THE NEW YEAR**

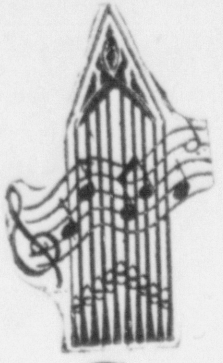
Of course we believe that spreading Christmas cheer and good will has a
definite part in winning the war so let's back the attack by helping our good
St. Nicholas distribute as much as possible that everyone, everywhere, may
have their share of the good things of the Christmas holidays and life through
the New Year.

We take pleasure in wishing you much Happiness and Joy.

Thank you for past favors and your patronage.

**South Central Rural
Electric Cooperative**





Sincere Greetings

We feel that our friends are worthy of our warmest and kindest greetings and so with all sincerity and in the heartiest possible way we say

"Merry Christmas and a Joyful New Year"

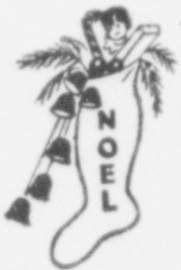
The Harden Stevenson Company

Merry
Christmas
To All

We will be closed Christmas
Day and the following day,
December 25 and 26

The Franklin Inn

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Gratefully we acknowledge that through your loyalty we have progressed during the past year. So we have reserved our best wishes for you, our customers and friends.

MAY GOOD THINGS
COME TO YOU
AT THIS CHRISTMAS
AND DURING 1945

The Pickaway Dairy Cooperative Association
PHONE 28 CIRCLEVILLE



OUR GREETINGS TO
YOU THIS CHRIST-
MAS IS NOT JUST A
CUSTOM . . . IT'S A
HEARTFELT HOPE.

LUTZ & YATES



Words of good cheer and happiness in abundance . . . that's the Christmas wish we make for every one of you.

WEILER'S GROCERY

202 N. PICKAWAY PHONE 907



DWIGHT STEELE PRODUCE
135 E. FRANKLIN CIRCLEVILLE

The Circleville Oil Co.
and Its Employees

Wish Their Friends and Customers



A Very
Merry Christmas

Leslie D. May	Helen F. Gunning
Theodore C. Steele	Arthur L. Steele
Ralph Young	Melvin L. Dresbach
Warner L. Dresbach	Leroy Garrett
Logan Sowers	Earl Anderson
Hugh Neff	

These former employees are now in the Armed Services of our government—

Herbert D. Sprenger	George Founds
A. Hulse Hays, Jr.	James Trimmer
Lewis J. Black	Edward Carter
Sherman Dresbach	
Berman Hill	

The Circleville Oil Co.

Distributors of Pickaway County's Fastest Selling Gasoline

CIRCLEVILLE, OHIO



Merry Xmas

—to—

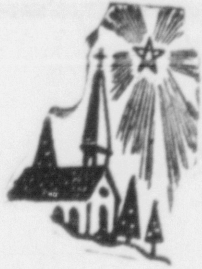
Everyone

The only Dairy in Pick-
away County satisfying
the health laws of Ross
and Fairfield counties.

May Yours Be a Happy
Holiday Season

**Circle City
Dairy**

GEO. W. BUTTERWORTH, Prop.
315 S. PICKAWAY PHONE 438



To Everyone We Wish a

Merry Christmas

NOTICE!

We will be **CLOSED** all day Monday,
Christmas Day, December 25



Meiers Apple Wine . 5th \$1.65
Royal Crest Port . 1/2 gal. \$3.25
La Rosa Muscatel . 5th \$1.49



Rock & Rye . . . qt. \$2.75 **Chateau Gay Champagne . 5th \$3.50**
Sloe Gin . pt. \$1.25 **5th \$2.34** **Cella's Cherry . . . 5th \$1.34**



We Always Have
**The Largest Supply
of Liquors**
in Town



PLENTY of BEER
TO CARRY OUT — POPULAR BRANDS
Doz. \$1.50



WINE

Has Many Uses

Try Our Special Wine for Your Fruit
Cakes and Holiday Table



Old American Tokay . 5th \$1.39
Barloma Brand Cherry 5th \$1.29
Roma Port & Cherry . 5th \$1.28



Buy At Least
One Extra
\$100 War Bond

SON'S GRILL

BILL TOPOLOSKY, Manager
Phone 1461

116 S. Court St.

Circleville, O.

BACK
THE
ATTACK

**BARTHELMAS
SHEET METAL**

GENE BARTHELMAS

MORE than any other people on earth the Amer-
ican people have much to be thankful for this
Christmas Day. On this beloved anniversary we can
proclaim our loyalty to the standards of our land—
written down by great citizens of the past for all
posterity, inspired by the teachings of the great
Saviour whose birth we celebrate. Those are the
standards of liberty, equality and unselfishness by
which we can forever live in happiness . . . for
forces of greed, tyranny and hate.
It is our faith in true concepts and in HIM who in-
vested them in us, that will lead us to triumph . . .

**Stansbury Stout
Corp.** CIRCLEVILLE
161 EDISON

**Merry
Christmas**

Two such simple words. Yet no
other words can say the same
thing better! To them we add
three more, equally familiar
words spoken to convey a
meaning no other phrase ful-
fills. Happy New Year. And in
saying that little, we say a lot
—for we express every good
wish it is possible to have for
your immediate enjoyment of
the yuletide holiday—and for
your future good fortune in the
year to follow! Thank you for
your past patronage—and we
look forward to always serv-
ing you to the best of our abil-
ity.





MAY THE BEAUTY OF TRUE
CHRISTMAS BE YOURS THIS
SEASON. MERRY CHRISTMAS.



DUNLAP TIRE & RUBBER CO.
158 W. MAIN ST. PHONE 426

MAY GOOD CHEER VISIT YOU THIS CHRISTMAS

It is pleasant indeed to remember our old friends and to greet new friends at this time and to wish each of you the best of Holiday happiness.

We're truly grateful for your patronage in the past and we are anxious to be of future service to you.

HAPPY NEW YEAR, TOO

HANLEY'S TEA ROOM

Best Holiday Wishes and
Hearty Greetings
FOR THE NEW YEAR

766 S. Pickaway St. **S. C. GRANT CO.** Phone 461
Ready-Mixed Concrete, Coal
and Building Materials

We Wish for You Much Christmas

Joy and Cheer

GOOD LUCK

GOOD HEALTH

HAPPINESS

FOR THE NEW YEAR

HALEY CAFE

207 W. MAIN ST.

CIRCLEVILLE

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

Through the kind patronage of our customers the past year has been one of greatest pleasure. We take this means to thank you and wish for you a New Year of Prosperity and success in all your undertakings.

BECKETT
Motor Sales

119 E. FRANKLIN

PHONE 122



Greetings
for the

Holiday Season

May you have the happiest
of American Christmases!

GOLD CLIFF

Skating every Tuesday, Friday and every Sunday evening.
Christmas evening and New Year's evening.



Yuletide's Best Wishes

As Christmas comes around we realize how much friendships mean.

And so we take this opportunity to extend to all of you a very

MERRY XMAS!

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS



A Christmas of
Good Cheer and Mirth
To Each of Our Friends and
Customers

GRIFFITH & MARTIN

Thoughts
at
Christmas



As the true friendly spirit of Christmas prevails over the world at this time, we extend our cordial wishes for a delightful holiday season and trust the New Year will bestow a goodly amount of happiness and prosperity upon you.

Parrett's Store



*Greetings and
Best Wishes
To All At
This Yuletide
Season*

As the Shepherds heard the song of Peace on that first Christmas may this Christmas bring nearer to us the time when Peace shall again rule over the earth.

Our pleasure during this past year has been our success in serving you satisfactorily. Our continued efforts shall be in your behalf.



.. The ..

First National Bank
of Circleville

Member of Federal Deposit Insurance Corp.



More than any other people on earth the American people have much to be thankful for this Christmas Day. On this beloved anniversary we can proclaim our loyalty to the standards of our land—written down by great citizens of the past for all posterity, inspired by the teachings of the great Saviour whose birth we celebrate. Those are the standards of liberty, equality and unselfishness by which we can forever live in happiness . . . for which we are fighting now, against the powerful forces of greed, tyranny and hate.

It is our faith in true concepts and in HIM who invested them in us, that will lead us to triumph . . .

**GIVEN
OIL
CO.**

CORNER MAIN and SCIOTO



To our friends here at home and to all men and women in uniform, we wish from the depths of our hearts all the things you so richly deserve!

GEORGE C. BARNES
REAL ESTATE BROKER



We take this opportunity of expressing our sincere appreciation to the people of this community for their patronage. Wishing you and yours a Merry Christmas.

GROCE SHOE STORE

GROOM'S SUNOCO SERVICE

N. COURT ST. AT MONTCLAIR

Wishes You All a

*Merry
Christmas*

COMPLETE SUNOCO SERVICE STATION



To Everyone

Hamilton & Ryan
DRUGGIST



The Christmas
Spirit

As Christmas brings untold blessings in its spirit of unselfish love and kindly thoughtfulness. May you be blest by this spirit in our sincere desire.

BARNHILL
DRY CLEANERS

Merry Christmas
To Our Customers
and
Friends

THE
Circle Press

With Hearts That Are Free, We
Reaffirm Our Faith
This Christmas

More than at any other time this Christmas we have cause to rejoice at the significance of the holiday. For it marks the birth of the greatest and most honored of men . . . who long ago taught righteousness and truth. We are thankful that His standards have come down through the years—to give us faith today in the justness of our purpose . . . assurance of our victory! This Christmas Day let us reaffirm our faith.

PETTIT'S



We offer you the full Yuletide's seasons greetings, in all sincerity.

HUSTON GRAIN CO.



Our wishes are as endless as the continuous, unbroken circle formed by the holly wreath which marks our doorway as one of Christmas cheer!

W. T. GRANT CO. 129 W. Main St.

**YULETIDE
GREETINGS**

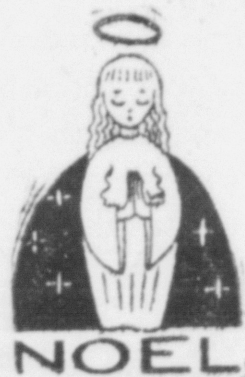
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**BEST
WISHES**

For

1945

Throw another log on the fire, make yourself comfortable and accept our warmest wishes for a jolly Christmas.



**Holiday
Greetings**

WITH BEST WISHES FOR A
MERRY CHRISTMAS
AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

We wish to pause during this Christmas season and say to our friends far and near that we are thinking of you and want to thank you for your patronage during the past and that we are looking forward to a continuation of friendship and association with you and yours.

May your happiness be manifold and untold blessings come your way through Christmas 1944 and the entire year 1945.

HILL
IMPLEMENT CO.

123 E. Franklin

Phone 21

**Geo. W.
VanCamp**

Merry **Christmas**

A Christmas
of
Good Cheer and Mirth
to Each of Our
Friends and Customers

As the Yule log burns may its glow take you away from everyday cares to the magic world of St. Nick, with reindeers and sleighs and gifts, and bring you the joy that only this jovial white bearded man with his true Christmas gaiety can bring.

May all the Joys of the Holiday Season Be Yours and may its spell of Happiness last throughout the New Year.

We Hope the Privilege of Serving You will be ours again in 1945.
We are successful only if we serve you satisfactorily.

**PICKAWAY LIVESTOCK COOPERATIVE
ASSOCIATION**



...and The Blessed Babe was given the Gift of Faith in Mankind—

From many surrounding miles, by foot, and camel . . . by mule and cart . . . came the simple, worshipping people. And astride jeweled trappings came the titled nobility. All followed the Three Wise Men who followed the star that illumined the manger where the infant Jesus lay. All brought Him gifts: each according to his means. Frankincense and myrrh. Vessels of precious metal and firstborn lambs. Wrappings of fine fabrics and endless words of wisdom. But the greatest of all gifts bestowed upon Him was a birthright given Him by the God who created Him—the gift of a noble mind and a pure heart, which were to make of Him the greatest student, teacher and lover of mankind to ever walk the earth! For through His observation and instruction He gained a Faith which followed Him to the cross, and which lives on in all who believe in Him, until today as for all time! As we observe the date of His birth this December 25th, 1944, let us remember too that the spirit of His teaching is one of love, tolerance and gentleness. He loved all colors, all nationalities, all creeds of man. He sought not to fill their hearts with fear—but with love. And none can justly claim to be one of His faithful followers who looks on his fellows with other than devotion. Such a war as we fight today—to strengthen and perpetuate democracy around the world is sure of His blessing. For He taught that all mankind must unite in brotherly love to achieve PEACE ON EARTH.

Employes of The Circleville Herald

Tom Wilson
Wayne W. Galvin
Robert McCarty
Paul Rodenfels
M. A. Neff
William Halstenberg
Anna Shea
Margaret Shea
Kathryn Bates
Lyll Cryder
Wendell Turner
Leonard Valentine
Cecil Andrews
James Arledge

Howard Glitt
Naomi Ferguson
Jack Jonas
John Payne
Donald Rhodes
Jerry Mogan
Paul Mayberry
Myron Pettit
Dwight Radcliff
Milton Crabtree
Herbert Weaver
William Jones
Marvin Payne
Alfred Wilkes

Tommy Hodges
Robert McAllister
Galen Kerns
Lincoln Isaac
David Cockrell
Carl Rihl
Margaret Evans, Atlanta
Mrs. Clinton Roby, Kingston
Mrs. Ray Poling, Laurelville
O. S. Mowery, Tarlton
Mrs. Sarah Stein, Stoutsville
Edwin Irwin, Ashville



The passing years serve only to increase the sincerity of our greeting to you . . . Merry Christmas!

DONALD H. WATT
REAL ESTATE

Now and in the future I sincerely express my desire that the Joys and Happiness of this gala season be yours.

H. E. BETZ
RESTAURANT

WE WISH EVERYBODY A
VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS

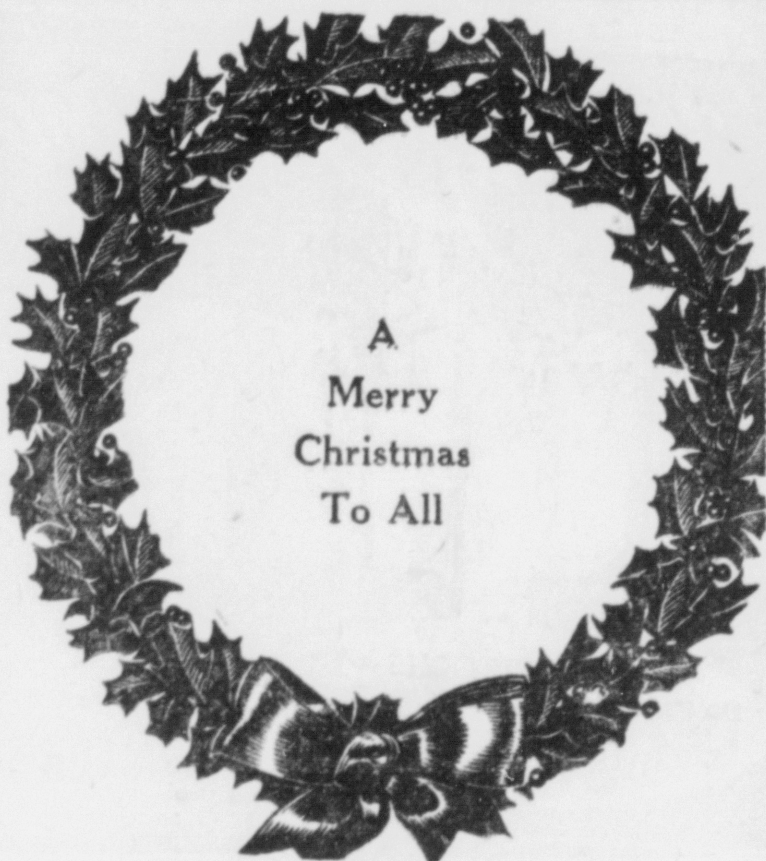
and a

Happy and Prosperous New Year

Conrad's Shell Service Station

1023 S. Court St.

Circleville



ELMON E. RICHARDS
ALLIS-CHALMERS and J. I. CASE DEALERS



That the benefits of Peace will soon be ours—that all our loved ones will be back with us soon to share in our happiness, is the best of all wishes this Christmas Day.

Glitt's Circleville Food Market

724 S. Court St.

Phone 400



Dear Santa: We'd like to thank you for the good things you bring us. Monday there will be gifts in all the stockings, but today you've given us something that can't be tied up in tissue paper and ribbons. Every year at this same time you give us "Christmas Spirit." Of course we know that is just another name for the good will and friendliness we try to maintain all year around, but folks have been so extra nice to us during these troubled times that we just had to say "THANKS!"



Citizens Telephone Co.



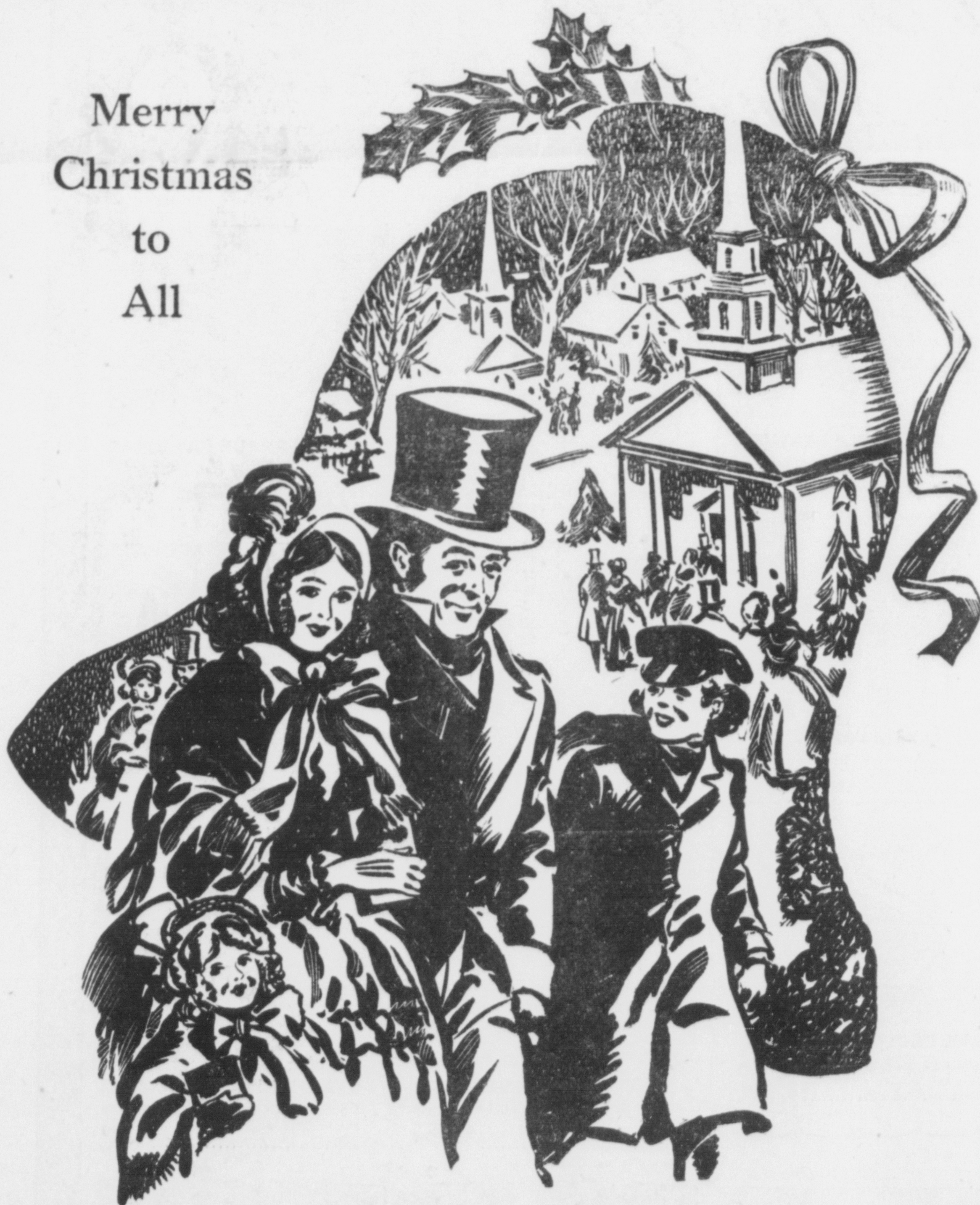
Christmas
WISHES
TO ALL
from
THE
KIPPY-KIT
CO.

To All
a
Merry Christmas
and
Happy New Year

Always good will toward man and soon again peace on earth.

Wallace Bakery
BAKERS OF HONEY BOY BREAD

Merry
Christmas
to
All



May Yours Be A Happy Season

Sinclair Refining Co.

768 S. PICKAWAY ST.

TROY W. WHITE

PHONE 331

*Wishing You a
Very Merry
CHRISTMAS
In the Good
Old-Fashioned Way*

The joy giving power of Christmas has spread into the remotest corners of the world. Its memories of happy days gone by . . . its promise of happy days to come, invite us to share our joys as we may with others and to wish for one and all the choicest blessings of this glorious Yuletide season!

May we take this occasion to extend our heartiest thanks to our patrons who have favored us in many ways during the past year and wish them everything worthwhile during the New Year.

Give the Gift With a Future . . . War Bonds

**HARPSTER
& YOST**

HAIRDWARE

Christmas Business Sets New Record At Circleville Post Office

1944 TOTAL IS EXPECTED TO BE NEW HIGH MARK

28,230 Cancellations Are Reported In Peak Day Of Seasonal Rush

Circleville post office Friday was cleaning up the biggest Christmas season in history and preparing to wind up the biggest year in history.

Friday mail was beginning to slow up and he expects to have holiday mail cleaned up by Christmas day. The windows at the office will be open all day Saturday to accommodate late shoppers, but warned rural residents they would receive no mail after Saturday until Tuesday. One city delivery will be made Sunday if necessary. On Christmas day gift packages and special deliveries only will be made, he stated.

This week has been one of the biggest in history and Monday was the busiest day in the history of the local post office, Mr. Hays said. Monday 28,230 pieces of mail exclusive of parcel post packages, were handled. Tuesday 19,429 pieces were handled. Parcel post business also was heavy, he said. A record amount of extra help

has been employed this year, Mr. Hays said. Those employed, in addition to others announced earlier, were: Mrs. Mary Stephens, 215 East Union street, William E. Lutz, 353 East Main street, Elizabeth Ann Curtin, 319 South Scioto street, and Ned Barthelmas, Route 2, in the office, and Eugene Richardson, 518 East Franklin street, David Walters, 111 East Water street, and Arthur Foll, 544 East Union street, outside workers.

Although the business has been heavy the rush period has not been as bad this season as in past years because it was spread out over a longer period. Gifts to men and women overseas went out in September and October. Many persons also heeded the plea to mail in November, lifting much of the burden from the days immediately preceding Christmas.

Mr. Hays said Friday 1944 business has already exceeded the total for any previous year in the history of the post office. December also probably will be one of the largest months since records were kept.

LOCAL REAL ESTATE MAN OPENS BRANCH OFFICE

Donald H. Watt, local real estate dealer, announced Friday the opening of a branch office at Mt. Sterling. Eugene Trimble, salesman, will be in charge. They will specialize in sale of farms in Madison and Fayette counties.

NIGHT POULTRY COURSE PLANNED AT OHIO STATE

COLUMBUS—People interested in raising poultry, as distinguished from lifting poultry, usually get their training in the enterprise during daylight hours; but Professor E. L. Dakan, poultry husbandry department, Ohio State university, says evening work on poultry will be lawful and remunerative during the twilight school January 4-March 15, 1945, at the university.

The course in poultry husbandry is one of many offered at hours when workers are free to attend classes. The classes to be taught by Professor Dakan are scheduled

for from 7:00 to 9:00 p. m., each Tuesday and Thursday of the university winter quarter. The course is open to all adults interested in poultry.

The information given in the evening classes will be most useful to beginners in the poultry industry or to those who want to learn about the enterprise before investing their money in flocks or equipment. Inquiries about fees for the course should be sent to Norval Neil Luxon, director, twilight school, Ohio State university.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Application for marriage license was made in probate court Thursday by Loring Hulse, 22, Williamsport, farmer, and Virginia M. Strawser, Route 4, Circleville, clerk.

1945 SUPPLY OF FERTILIZER TO BE SMALLER

COLUMBUS—Further reduction in the supply of phosphate and complete fertilizers in 1945 is indicated by recent announcements from the War Food Administration that increased demands by munitions manufacturers for sulphuric acid will decrease the amount available for treating phosphates and this, in turn, will hamper the manufacture of complete fertilizers.

Earl Jones, agronomy specialist, Ohio State university, believes Ohio farmers will fare better than others in getting fertilizer because Buckeye producers have been more

CHRISTMAS SONGS, POEMS HEARD AT ROTARY MEET

Christmas music and Christmas poems featured the Rotary Club meeting Thursday noon in Pickaway Arms.

Carl Leist sang a solo and Robert Brehner and Norbert Cochran recited Christmas poems. The group joined in the singing of Christmas carols.

Norman's Woe, a rock off the coast of Cape Ann, Mass., was the scene of Longfellow's poem, "The Wreck of the Hesperus."

forehand in placing early orders. Anticipating their needs by farmers enabled manufacturers to start shipments on the way to Ohio.



SAY "Merry Christmas" with a gift from mykrantz

1/2 PRICE
On Toys, Trucks and Guns

20% FEDERAL TAX ON ALL COSMETICS

SHOP AT YOUR FRIENDLY MYKRANTZ STORE WHILE OUR STOCKS ARE COMPLETE



HUDNUT GIFT SETS
Richard Hudnut gifts with sweet memories. Cheerful, pretty, gayly packaged gifts from this famous perfumer. Yanky Clover and Spring \$3.00 up Lilac odors.....



DRESSER SET
Three-piece dresser set to adorn her dressing table. Plastic Comb, Brush and Mirror in a variety of colors. A beautiful and useful gift..... \$5.25



ROSEBUD SOAP by LUXOR
Four bars of creamy lathering soap, shaped into full blooming roses. Box of 4..... \$1.00



TOY TRUCK
Several types of wooden trucks—any youngster will thrill to own..... 98c



YARDLEY SHAVING BOWL
Wooden bowl filled with famous Yardley Old English Lavender Shaving Soap..... \$1.00



WHITMAN'S SAMPLER
Filled with taste-delighting sweets. America's most famous box of \$1.50 candy. 17-oz. box.....



SOFSKIN CREME
A wonder-working, non-greasy creme that whitens, protects and softens the skin. Helps keep hands smooth and lovely 60c and \$1.00



REVLON DOUBLE FEATURE
Choose her favorite color in famous Revlon Nail Enamel and small size Adheron..... 75c



JOHNSTON'S CHOCOLATES
Luscious, creamy, tempting chocolates—a treat during any season, but especially at Christmas time. \$1.00 up Solves many a gift problem.



ZENITH GRADE "A" BRIAR
Highest standard of pipe-making. These pipes are hand-polished—not lacquered. Carefully selected for quality. 12 styles, virgin or walnut. \$1.89 Individually boxed.....



LEATHER BILLFOLDS
High quality leather in black, brown or saddle..... billfolds that are as handsome looking as they are serviceable! You can't go \$1.50 to \$7.50 wrong with any of these plus tax



SCHERK PERFUMES
Three fascinating fragrances—Renaissance, Mysticism and Arabian Nights. Priced from..... \$1.25



PLASTIC RATTLES
A Merry Christmas for the little tot. Gay colored plastic rattles 39c up in several sizes.....



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